





## The Quincy Patriot.

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Sixtieth Volume.

With this number we commence the 60th volume of the PATRIOT. What changes have taken place during the past twelve months? Some events have caused joy, others sadness. Some dear companions have passed from us and others have come to fill their places.

But how small have been the general changes of the year compared with those that have taken place in Quincy since the first number of the PATRIOT was printed by Messrs. Green & Osborne in one little square room in the same building where the daily, two weeklies and several monthlies are now issued.

The past year has been a more prosperous one for printing, as well as for almost all kinds of business in this city, if we except the manufacture of boots and shoes, than the two previous ones; although most of the industries have not been what they were six or eight years ago. But, as there seems to be some improvement each year, we think our business may look encouragingly forward for better times the coming season.

What our laboring citizens want, is more to do, and better pay for doing it; it matters but little to them if the pay is higher, if they can find enough to do, and good wages for doing it.

That the year 1896 will be better for the merchant, the farmer, and the mechanic, is the hope of the publisher of the PATRIOT; and that all will be thankful for the many blessings bestowed upon them, we close by wishing all the readers of the PATRIOT.

A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

No Monument Desired.

Mr. Edwin W. Marsh has called on the PATRIOT and DAILY LEDGER in behalf of the family and relatives of the late George L. Gill, and requested that the monument for the proposed memorial be abandoned. All efforts to persuade them to the contrary being unavailing, we reluctantly acquiesce to their wishes. We are confident that the necessary funds could have been raised promptly. That many were waiting for others, but that in a few days the subscriptions would have taken a jump and then it would have been a grand popular movement. As Mr. Gill's burial place is not in Quincy we regret very much that this memorial could not have been erected here.

The treasurer of the fund will return promptly the sums that have been contributed, and thanks the contributors for the interest taken in our late friend, George L. Gill.

What other qualities are needed of a citizen that his memory should be perpetuated by a monument? The qualities of a citizen that his memory should be perpetuated by a monument? The qualities of a citizen that his memory should be perpetuated by a monument?

"In the death of this honorable and faithful public servant, this community loses one of the best examples of true manhood—loyal alike to his God and to his fellowmen."

Church Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Nellie Maud Thompson, daughter of Mr. John Thompson of Arlington street, Wollaston, and Mr. Howard Greenleaf Kingman, formerly master of the Wollaston school, was solemnized at the Wollaston Congregational church on Tuesday afternoon at a quarter before five o'clock.

The church was filled with the guests when the bride party entered the church, the bridesmaids upon the arm of her brides, Mr. William J. Thompson, and proceeded down the left aisle where were waiting the groom and his best man, Mr. Harry W. Keith of Wollaston, and the Rev. Edward A. Robinson, pastor of the church, who performed the ceremony.

The bride was gracefully gowned in white bridle silk, with train, with pearl trimmings and tulle veil. She carried a bouquet of La Briderose.

Miss Mary A. Worsley of Quincy, the maid of honor, was attired in pink muslin over pink trimmings with flowers, and carried pink Catherine de Mornet roses. A pretty feature of the wedding was the little bridesmaid, Marie Thompson, four years old, who carried a nosegay of white bridle silk, with train, with pearl trimmings and tulle veil.

The bridesmaids were Mr. Herbert A. Thompson of Wollaston, Mr. Walter Richards of East Bridgewater, Mr. Levi Nichols and Mr. Charles A. Tanner of Wollaston.

Mr. and Mrs. Kingman left immediately after the ceremony for Haverhill, where they will reside.

Inaugural Banquet.

The arrangements for the inaugural banquet complimentary to Mayor Charles Francis Adams, 24, on Monday evening, Jan. 6, are about completed. It will be held at Faxon hall, and will be served at 8 o'clock by Caterer Blunt of Boston.

After supper there will be a smoke talk, and post prandial exercises at which W. G. A. Faxon, Esq., will probably preside. Among the invited guests who will be present are all of the ex-Mayors of Quincy and Col. Henry A. Thomas, private secretary of Gov. Greenhalge.

As it has been impossible to extend individual invitations to all who would desire to attend, it is announced that all who wish can procure tickets at \$1.25 each at C. C. Hearn's drug store, or the committee, Mr. Joseph T. French and Mr. Walter B. Wilson.

Reception to New Pastor.

The new year was very pleasantly inaugurated at Atlantic, and the people gathered united with the church to give a reception to Rev. and Mrs. Edward Norton. The new pastor in his brief connection with the society has endeavored himself to the community, and everybody seems happy.

On this occasion the church looked its prettiest. It was artistically festooned with evergreen, and about the platform in the appearance of a reception room with its parlor furniture, pictures, lamp, etc.

The reception committee were: Mrs. Charles L. Coy, Mrs. F. B. Cummings, Mrs. H. W. Read, Mrs. Theodore Parker, Mr. George E. Todd, Mr. C. F. Merriek and Mr. B. F. Thomas.

Four young men acted as ushers and introduced the people to Rev. and Mrs. Norton who were assisted in receiving by Mr. W. F. Cummings and Mrs. E. R. Wade.

Coffee and chocolate were poured and served with cake by Miss Moxon, Miss Coy, Miss Hall, Miss Melard, Miss Wilson, Miss Benis and the Misses Gray.

Mayor Quincy's Inauguration.

At the inauguration of Mr. Josiah Quincy as Mayor of Boston on Monday morning, Jan. 6, in the Council Chamber of City Hall, Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale has been invited to officiate, and the oath of office will be administered to the Mayor-elect by the Chief Justice Walbridge A. Field of the Supreme Judicial Court of the Commonwealth.

—The new Fogg public library at South Weymouth will be upon the corner of Columbian square. An effort is being made to raise \$25,000 by subscription so made to raise \$50,000 bequeathed may be used for establishing and maintaining.

## CITY BRIEFS.

1896.

A Happy New Year!

Many watched in the New Year. Skaters hope the cold weather will continue.

The DAILY LEDGER for one year, \$5 in advance. J. H. Whipple was observed ploughing in his field last week.

There were 53 bell and nine still alarms of fire during the year 1895.

Miss Riley, the milliner, has gone to New Hampshire for a week's visit.

The new city government will be inaugurated next Monday at noon.

Chief of Police Hayden has the honor of having the first case in the new court room.

The week of prayer will be observed at the Centre Congregational church next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Marmon of Penn. street, entertained friends on New Year's eve.

The prize awarded C. B. Tilton in the chess tournament was a pocket chess board and set of men.

Word has been received from Florida that Mr. A. G. Durkin is despondent. Mrs. Durkin has gone South.

Ann Gilman was on Wednesday appointed administratrix of estate of Peter Gilman, late of Quincy.

The regular meeting and dinner of the Norfolk South District Medical society was held at The Greenleaf, Thursday.

Henry L. Kincaide & Co. distributed some artistic calendars. A pretty new scene is the prominent feature.

Twelve columns of local news matter on the extra page today. See portraits of visiting councilmen on page five.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Foley (Miss Elizabeth Souther) of Ashmont have moved to Quincy into the house of Mrs. L. G. Horton on Hancock street.

Mr. John P. S. Churchill and Mr. W. M. Marden attended the annual banquet of the Clerks of Courts in Boston on Wednesday afternoon.

The insolency case of McIntyre & Kirk of Quincy has been continued indefinitely, and that of H. C. Rodgers until the first Wednesday in April.

The ladies of the Universalist church have a food fair in their vestry Jan. 8th and 9th. All are invited and a pleasant time is anticipated.

The PATRIOT has had a birthday and is now fifty-nine years old. It feels as young and enterprising as ever and will continue to make its weekly calls as usual.

A reporter of the PATRIOT heard the millionaire Faxon offer this week \$250 for a pretty little girl, a daughter of a distinguished gentleman of Wollaston.

Col. Francis W. Parker and George L. Aldrich, Esq., both former superintendents of schools in this city, have been invited to attend the High School reunion Jan. 24.

Mr. Wollaston Lodge, I. O. O. F., has adopted resolutions on the death of George L. Gill, one of the members of the old lodge and a charter member at the reinstallation.

Commodore C. F. Pettengill of the Quincy Yacht club is making a collection of photographs of all the ex-commanders of the club which he intends to have mounted in one large picture.

Class reunions have been suggested as a side feature of the High School reunion on Jan. 24. Class banners in the small rooms of the building previous to the general reception would be very enjoyable.

At Granite City Club Wednesday evening a pleasant party of ladies and gentlemen enjoyed an hour at drive-whist and the conclusion it was found that Miss Abbie L. Curtis and Mr. John Curtis had made the largest scores.

About twenty friends of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Todd of Billings street, called upon and surprised them at their home on Tuesday evening, the occasion being Mr. Todd's birthday. A beautiful collation was served.

Mr. Henry Faxon was not thrown out of his carriage Tuesday as reported, but in a collision it was found that Miss Abbie L. Curtis and Mr. John Curtis had made the largest scores.

The directors of the Quincy Firemen's Relief Association held a meeting Tuesday evening to talk over the matter of the annual ball. Committee was appointed to see what could be done in regard to the ball and they will report at a meeting of the Association to be held next Thursday evening, Jan. 9.

The members of Tippen lodge, No. 184, I. O. G. T., held a New Year's festival at Faxon hall, Tuesday evening, watching the old year out and the new year in. The festival commenced with a supper which was followed by Swedish games of various kinds. Then came a distribution of presents from a large Christmas tree.

The LEDGER received Monday an autograph letter from Hon. Richard Olney, the Secretary of State, requesting the insertion of an advertisement of the death of Charles King Alais. Charles Gibbons of Quincy, Mass., at St. Stephen, N. B. He died Oct. 9, 1895, and his friends can obtain further information by applying to the department.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Webster Newcomb entertained a drive whist party at their residence on Howard street, on Tuesday evening, the last night of the old year. It was the anniversary of Mrs. Newcomb's birthday.

Prizes were spent an enjoyable evening. Prizes were awarded Mrs. Gray of U. G. M. Charles Johnson, Mr. H. G. Bodwell and Mr. M. E. Wignt.

The members of the Dealing club alphabetically arranged as follows: R. S. Atkins, H. S. Bates, F. M. Coe, O. C. Colton, A. M. Craig, Frank H. Crane, Harold Faxon, C. E. Finch, Jr., A. R. Pitts, E. V. Pitts, Stephen O. Foster, E. D. Gould, Henry Holden, Roland Hughes, Jean Hultman, D. King, E. C. Littlefield, J. Q. Littlefield, W. W. Parry, F. E. Pinkham, C. A. Price, F. B. Rice, Charles Sampson, E. C. Sargent, Fred Scamwell, E. F. Southworth, Stacy Southworth, C. R. Tucker, Fred Tupper, S. E. Wilson.

It is with sadness we announce the death of Mr. Henry Edwards of South Franklin, on Wednesday morning of heart failure. Mr. Edwards had been ill for several weeks of typhoid pneumonia but was recovered the first of the week that he was improving so the telegram received Wednesday was a great shock to his brother, Mr. James Edwards of School street, and to his friends. Mr. Edwards leaves a widow and two daughters Miss Abbie and Edw. Edwards, to whom we extend our sympathy.

The engagement of our popular young ladies, Miss Hattie M. Pevery and Mr. Frederick Lincoln, was announced to their friends at a New Year's party given Wednesday evening at residence of Mrs. Pevery, No. 28 Chestnut street. Relatives from Boston and Waltham and Quincy people were present. Many dainties and seasonable gifts were sent. Salad and ices were served with cards for diversion, helped to make the event a memorable one. A happy New Year to this young couple and happy ones in the future to them.

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BOSTON.

Are you going to the Food Fair next week?

The editions of the DAILY LEDGER on Monday and Tuesday will be souvenir numbers.

A good time is anticipated at the Food Fair at the Universalist vestry next Wednesday.

The John Boyle O'Reilly club held a prize sunlight luncheon at Hancock hall, New Year's afternoon.

Miss Lizzy Waldron, the obliging clerk at Gordon's Five-cent store, is confined to the house with tonsillitis.

The officers of Francis L. Southern camp, S. of V., will be publicly installed next Tuesday evening at G. A. R. hall.

W. R. Lofgren has been installed as \$5000 house for N. E. Hollis on the corner of Tremont and West streets, Braintree.

The city of Quincy was mentioned in the Governor's inaugural address in connection with its application to enter the Metropolitan water system.

Miss Nena Robinson of Cambridgeport and Miss Charlie Brown of Malden are visiting their aunt, Mrs. K. D. Gordon, of 62 Washington street.

Councillor Lovell of this district is on six committees of the Council: Harbors and Public Lands; Military and Naval Affairs; Railroads; Accounts; Warrants.

The annual meeting of the National Mount Wollaston bank will be held next Tuesday, and that of the National Granite a week later.

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## WOLLASTON.

The Wollaston home company made good time to the Box 23 alarm.

Tickets for the inaugural banquet can be procured at Wollaston at Loring's drug store.

The Epworth league of Wollaston will hold a New Year's rally at 6 o'clock Sunday evening in the Methodist Episcopal church.

The special services held at the Methodist Episcopal church Wollaston this week have been well attended and have increased in interest from night to night. Next week they will be merged in union services to be held in connection with the Baptist and Congregational churches.

Mr. L. Howard Jones of Wollaston sails for home from London on the 6th inst., after an absence abroad of nearly two years. He has been studying architecture at Paris, Rome, Florence and other art centers.

There were 77 church attendees at the watch meetings at the Wollaston M. E. and Congregational churches on New Year's eve.

Mr. Frank J. Flood of Wollaston has been confined to his house for some time by a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

The 29th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Olney of Wollaston occurred on New Year's night. It is superfluous to add that they kept informally open house on that evening.

Woodbine lodge, K. & L. of H., will receive a visit from the grand tourist Tuesday evening, Jan. 14.

Mr. E. S. Taylor was the winner of the silk umbrella at the Christmas bowling contest on the Duck's Nest alleys the best one ball string, his score being 158.

The tie for the three string candle pin prizes was bowled off at the Duck's Nest Alley on Tuesday evening. Result, first place—Hon. H. O. Fairbanks, 89; C. F. Briggs, 87; W. L. Dawson, 85; and C. V. Sierrett, 84. Second frame—Briggs, 84; Fairbanks, 68.

One of the severest storms of the season passed over the city early Tuesday morning. At six o'clock the wind at Wollaston attained a maximum velocity of 50 miles per hour. This is the highest velocity recorded in this vicinity this winter.

Danced the Year Out.

The Wollaston Cycle club held its second annual ball Tuesday evening at the Town Hall, Braintree, and it was attended by about 300 who danced the old year out and the new year in.

Previous to the dancing there was a promenade concert by Tirrell's orchestra, which also furnished the music for dancing.

The grand march which was inaugurated at 9 o'clock, was led by President George W. Brown and Miss R. M. Covell, who were followed by fifty couples. President Brown presided at the piano and the Union church, Boston, Thursday evening.

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## ATLANTIC.

Mrs. Livingston of Squantum street has returned from a visit to the Cape.

Young ladies of Atlantic are talking of holding a leap year party at an early date.

The fierce wind of Tuesday morning blew down Atlantic city street, and the depot. It was very fortunate that no one was injured as it fell about the time the 6.10 A. M. train was due.

Miss Juliette Smith, president of the Junior League, visited the junior league of Atlantic, Wednesday afternoon.

After the exercises were over the members of the league were treated to a collation and flowers; then they all tarried for games. The junior league is now divided into two grades.

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## THE CITY COUNCIL.

### The Last Meeting of the Year Was a Long One.

### A Veto of the Mayor Causes Debate on Hancock Street Poles.

### Portraits of Many of the Retiring Members.

Every member was present at the last meeting of Council of 1895 held Monday evening, but many will be missed in 1896. All the portraits on this page are of retiring Councilmen. The Patriot regrets it has none of Messrs. Dixon and O'Brien.

Upon request of the Mayor, Councilman Grindell drew the following jurors, Charles F. Colby, John Ross, George A. Mayo.

**Communications.**  
The Commissioner of Public Works, in a communication, stated that all companies had or were complying with the ordinances requiring the poles to be painted.

The Mayor requested the transfer of \$225 from unexpended balances to miscellaneous fire department appropriation and \$100 from receipts of parks to appropriation for parks. Councilman Adams offered the necessary order which was passed to be ordained.

The Auditor requested information as to whether he should approve bills amounting to \$128 for clerk hire of the City Clerk. Councilman Bryant moved that Auditor be instructed not to approve bills, which was voted.

The vote was doubtful. Councilman Bryant said the committee considered the matter of a clerk for the City Clerk but as his predecessor had asked for no appropriation for that purpose, the committee thought \$100 sufficient, and that was appropriated.



CHARLES F. ADAMS, 2d.  
Who will be Mayor in 1896.

The motion of Councilman Bryant prevailed.

The Mayor returned without his approval the order relating to the removal of poles on the westerly side of Hancock street. He found these poles were used by the fire department and Electric Light Co., and to change the fire alarm wires now would incur a large expense, also it was quite a hardship on the Electric Light Co., who had been refused permission to go on the new poles and if the others were taken down it would leave Norfolk Downs and Atlantic in darkness.

Councilman Bryant said this was no hasty matter. The Committee on Streets had heard the Electric and Telephone companies and the Mayor has evidently heard only one side. When the order was passed granting the new location it was done at the suggestion of the Committee on Streets. The order provided for the removal of the old poles. He also stated that the Telephone Co. was willing for the Electric Light Co. to use its poles. That the latter were careless and had cut fire alarm wire at Wollaston.

Councilman Johnson would like to have officials of Electric Light Co. state their case.

W. G. A. Pattee of the Electric Light Co. came forward and said the Telephone Co. had refused them right on their new poles on Hancock street, or to that effect, and that no wire was cut at Wollaston.

Chief Engineer Williams was called forward and in answer to questions by Councilman Bryant said: The wire was taken off and tied round a pole. Could not state that it was broken. Had informed Mr. Bryant that it was cut but afterward found that it was not. The Electric Light Co. had no right to touch fire alarm wires without notifying him. The Electric Light Co. had caused much trouble, but had rectified it as soon as notice was given.

Mr. Pattee was then allowed to continue and said in stringing wires it was hard to do just what was right. The superintendent had received instructions not to interfere with other wires. Last spring the Committee on Streets recommended a new location for the Telephone Co. on Hancock street but no notice was given the Electric Light Co. It so happened that the Electric Light Co. used those old poles and he did not think that the Committee on Streets or Mayor knew of the condition of affairs there. It was a hardship to the Electric Light Co. If we take our wires down it cuts off Norfolk Downs, Wollaston and Atlantic from house and street lights. You also put the city to several hundred dollars expense to change the fire alarm wires. Next spring when



E. W. HENRY BASS  
Who retires from the City Council after six years continuous service, three as President.

the double track goes through probably some arrangement can be made to use those poles.

In reply to Councilman Bryant, Mr. Pattee said the reason this company objected to changing wires now was that the Telephone Co. forbid it and then the great expense.

The Chief Engineer was called forward again and Councilman Bryant attempted to question him as to the ability of the men employed by the Electric Light Co., but the chair ruled against him.

In reply to Councilman Phillips, Chief Williams said the poles were not unsafe at present and in reply to Councilman Bigelow the chief said it would cost \$700 to change the wires; the removal of the telephone wires was a help to the poles.

Councilman Bryant said the city should be able to maintain equally as good a construction for its fire alarm wires as it wanted the Telephone Co. to do. Is it fair to reason that the Telephone Co. would not ask for a new location if they did not consider the old poles unsafe. Electric light wires are much more dangerous. Do we want poles that are unsafe?

Councilman Pinkham said Councilman Bryant states that the Electric Light Co. have a right to go on these poles but they claim they can not do so without an order from the Council. Shall we order these poles down before we give the Electric Light Co. a right to the other poles?

Councilman Bryant said that the Telephone Co. do not dispute the right of Electric Co. to go on the new poles but the Electric Co. will not stand the expense according to the agreement. The fire alarm wires have got to be moved sometime and why not now?



JONAS SHACKLEY,  
Who led the fight for wooden schoolhouses

Councilman Sprague believed in protecting the home companies and that the Mayor's veto should be sustained.

Councilman Nickerson hoped Mayor's veto would not be sustained. The Committee on Streets had given this subject much time. It was no reason because Electric Co. were careless that they should be excused.

Councilman Johnson thought Mr. Pattee was right, that this whole matter was caused

by a misunderstanding of the contract. The question as to whether the contract had been lived up to did not enter here. Our first duty was to our citizens and he did not think Council wanted to impose any hardship. He thought Mayor's reasons were good.

Councilman Rice asked, if we order these poles down have we got to give the Electric Light Co. a new location?

Councilman Bryant replied that the Telephone Co. is willing but they must come under the contract. The Electric Light Co. say we can not afford the expense.

Councilman Adams asked Mr. Pattee if he had any conversation with the Telephone Co. except the letter.

Mr. Pattee, — Yes last October when they refused to allow us to use the poles.

Councilman Adams then asked Councilman Bryant if he had received any direct statement from the Telephone Co.

Councilman Bryant replied that he had last Friday, when they said they were willing if the contract was lived up to.

Councilman Adams said, if we assume that Councilman Bryant tells the truth he has some hung later than the letter. We should discuss this question knowing that the Electric Light Co. can put its wires on these poles. We want the best, that is, one set of poles that are safe, and we must protect the rights of the city with the utmost care. The Mayor's objections are to the expense, and that there is not time. To the first objection he thought the city should stand expense of moving its wires, and if there is not time he thought the Council would give way for a few days. There would be nothing gained by putting it off.

Councilman Spear said the whole thing originated with the chairman of the Committee on Streets, and it is not the first time he has drawn the committee into a hole. He wants to freeze the Electric Light Company out. Some consideration should be shown them.

Councilman Bigelow was glad to hear a little truth. He thought this one of those things that the chairman of committee on streets has forced onto the Council. He



HORACE F. SPEAR,  
Who made his maiden speech at the last meeting.

thought it wise to keep those wires on that side of the street for the present.

Councilman Bryant replied that all he could say was that Councilman Spear had not attended a sufficient number of meetings of the Committee on Streets to know what it has done. The original order says old poles should be removed. When any gentleman accuses me of bringing in an order unknown to the Committee on Streets it is a falsehood. We know that the executive department has not attended to its business during the past year as it should, and he brought the order to enforce the original order.

The Council then refused to pass the order over the Mayor's veto by the following vote:

YEAS.—Adams, Bryant, Hayden, Nickerson, Parker, Phillips, Rice, Rinn, Sidelinger.—9.  
NAYS.—Barker, Bigelow, Dixon, Geary, Grindell, Johnson, Lamb, O'Brien, Pinkham, Russell, Shackley, Spear, Sprague.—13.

**Petitions.**  
Councilman Russell presented a petition to run a guy wire across School street, which was referred to the executive department.

**Reports.**  
The Committee on Finance reported that order granting locations of poles to Telephone Co. and order relating to assessments of betterments on Walker street extension be referred to next Council. Adopted.

The Committee on State Aid reported leave to withdraw on petition of Catherine M. Lapham. Adopted.

The Committee on Public Grounds reported that order relating to Liberty Square be referred to the next Council. Adopted.

The order authorizing the Water Department to expend the \$45,000 was passed to be ordained. Councilman Bigelow and Phillips voting in the negative.

The order granting the Quincy & Boston

street railway a location for a double track on Hancock street came up for its final passage.

Councilman Rice said this was one of those important matters. There had been no discussion on this question. He believed it should be referred to the next Council and he so moved.

Councilman Bryant saw nothing to be gained by waiting. The Committee on Streets had put all the restrictions they could on the company.

Councilman Russell thought the city should get something in return from these valuable locations.

The Council then voted to refer the order to the next Council.

The special committee appointed to



JOHN P. BIGELOW,  
Who fought the Metropolitan Water.

draft resolutions on the death of George L. Gill reported as follows, which were accepted by a rising vote:

WHEREAS: In the death of Mr. George L. Gill the city has lost one of its foremost citizens, a man who, for nearly one-third of this century, served the citizens of Quincy faithfully and well as Town Clerk, be it

Resolved,—That in the death of this honorable and faithful public servant, this community loses one of the best examples of true manhood, loyal alike to his God and to his fellowmen. As representative to the General Court in the years just previous to the Civil war, his career was honorable and creditable; as postmaster during the war his services were most valuable to the town; as treasurer of the Quincy Savings bank, his untiring zeal and wise judgment placed it high among Massachusetts banks. His charity, his courteous manner, his unflinching willingness to aid the rich and poor alike, made him beloved by all. The City of Quincy, in meeting assembled, hereby bear testimony to his many virtues and noble character, and to his widow and family tender their heartfelt sympathy in their great sorrow. Be it further

Resolved,—That these resolutions be entered upon the records of this Council, and a copy sent to the family of the deceased.

[Signed.] CHARLES F. ADAMS, 2d.  
JOHN T. BIGELOW.  
HORACE F. SPEAR.

The Committee on Finance reported ought to pass an order transferring \$50 from enforcement of liquor law to police. Passed to be ordained under suspension of the rules.

The joint Committee on Finance and Ordinance reported that matter of ordinance concerning auditing department be referred to next Council. Adopted.

The Committee on Finance reported amendment to order transferring \$350 from receipts of interest to election expenses, changing the amount to \$450. Amendment adopted and order passed to be ordained under suspension of the rules.



CHARLES H. GRINDELL,  
Who championed labor measures.

The Committee on Finance reported no legislation necessary on matter of unpaid water bills. Adopted.

**New Business.**  
Councilman Adams offered an order transferring \$150 from receipts of interest to removal of snow. Passed to be ordained under suspension of the rules.

Councilman Adams offered an order extending a vote of thanks to President

Bass and City Messenger Tirrell, which was adopted.

President Bass responded feelingly and said while he retired from the Council he should endeavor to attend its meetings. He also expressed thanks for the City Messenger.

Councilman Bryant moved all unfinished business be referred to the next Council. Voted.

Councilman Geary read a brief poem on the parting of the Council, after which the Council of 1895, at 10.03, adjourned sine die.

### Sabbath Protection.

A union meeting of the Christian Endeavor societies of Quincy was held Monday evening at the Centre Congregational church, Rev. Robert Westly Peach presiding.

There was a goodly company of Endeavorers present despite the rain, but the general public was not very largely represented. Unfortunately also, the City Council being in session, several of the councilmen who desired to be present were kept away; and as some of the churches are now holding special meetings, their pastors could not come.

Those who were able and willing to be present heard a stirring, "factual," forceful address, full of courage and of hope. When Dr. Kneeland told of some of the losses to the cause of Sabbath observance during the last decade, and then of some of the victories since the organization of the New England Sabbath Protective League, there was a spirit of thanksgiving aroused in the hearts of the listeners.

Rev. Martin D. Kneeland, D. D., secretary of the New England Sabbath Protective League, was the speaker, in the interest of Sabbath Protection and in part he said: I consider it a privilege and honor to speak to Christian Endeavorers as I had the honor of forming one of the first societies in New York. Christian Endeavorers are true on this great question which is on the line of good citizenship. The young people are to lead the gener-



CHARLES H. JOHNSON,  
Who developed great oratorical powers.

ations which are to follow. Christian Endeavorers to the number of two and a half million members stand for a better Sunday, and they are to lift the standard higher. The last part of the past week about thirty applications by corporations and others were made to the Commissioner in Boston for permits to work on Sunday, but through the efforts of the League, in every instance permits were denied, and it is a settled fact in Boston that no such permits shall be granted in the future.

The workingmen are aroused on this subject. He had told them of the privilege of worship, and had seen many attentive eyes, if not dim eyes with thoughts of the old home where mother taught them to pray.

The noblest work is denying yourself for some one else. The two great thoughts are, fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of humanity. We shall be lost unless we do something to elevate our brothers. The nations that have stood for the Christian Sabbath have prospered. The New England Sabbath Protective League has had this thought of maintaining and preserving the Christian Sabbath. One thing the league had gained last year was the closing the theatres on Sunday and he thought the league had gained the point of stopping the work on the subway in Boston on Sundays. He believes the Lord prospers us if we keep His law.

The league has only been organized about five months, and is going to organize branch societies, auxiliaries, juniors, etc. He closed by saying that the Christian Endeavor Union here was the first to invite him to speak to them, and he would like to have it stand solid for the league, and would like to see every Christian Endeavorer's name on our list who is not ashamed to be identified with the New England Sabbath Protective League.

After Dr. Kneeland had spoken, Mr. Edward Southworth said that now he



**THERE IS STYLE**  
in glasses as in everything else. The principal thing, however, is to have your Glasses properly fitted. John W. Sanborn & Co., Opticians, 3 Winter St., Boston. Take Elevator.

understood the news item that the West End street railway company had been refused permission for track-work, etc., last Sunday. He did not know that any body could withstand the West End Company.

Mr. T. H. Wason and Mr. W. F. Cummings, Rev. C. A. Parker, Rev. Edwin N. Hardy, Rev. Robert Westly Peach, also spoke brief words of commendation of the work of the New England Sabbath Protective League.

A report of the annual meeting of the Union appears on another page including the report of Rev. Robert Westly Peach, the president.

### School Attendance.

The report of the Quincy schools below for the month ending December 20th, is compared with the other months of 1895. The percentage of attendance has hardly been up to the standard:

|              | Whole Number at Date. | Average Attendance. | Per cent. of Daily Attendance. | Case of Truancy. | Visits. |
|--------------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|---------|
| High         | 310                   | 293.4               | 94.7                           | 20               | 0       |
| Adams        | 364                   | 341.8               | 93.9                           | 37               | 0       |
| Coddington   | 378                   | 349.5               | 92.5                           | 7                | 1       |
| John Hancock | 387                   | 361.5               | 93.2                           | 17               | 0       |
| Lincoln      | 443                   | 418.7               | 94.5                           | 22               | 0       |
| Quincy       | 303                   | 285.6               | 94.3                           | 6                | 2       |
| Washington   | 285                   | 269.0               | 94.5                           | 19               | 0       |
| Willard      | 311                   | 265.8               | 85.5                           | 21               | 0       |
| Wollaston    | 413                   | 380.6               | 92.3                           | 29               | 1       |
| Dec. 1895    | 3694                  | 3454.9              | 94.1                           | 169              | 4       |
| Jan. 1895    | 3470                  | 3211.5              | 92.5                           | 186              | 7       |
| Feb. 1895    | 3455                  | 3010.0              | 87.1                           | 139              | 2       |
| March 1895   | 3542                  | 3310.4              | 93.4                           | 133              | 8       |
| April 1895   | 3740                  | 3566.1              | 95.3                           | 129              | 9       |
| May 1895     | 3657                  | 3577.3              | 97.8                           | 185              | 18      |
| June 1895    | 3677                  | 3503.0              | 95.4                           | 168              | 16      |
| Sept. 1895   | 3822                  | 3710.9              | 97.4                           | 141              | 19      |
| Oct. 1895    | 3836                  | 3638.6              | 94.8                           | 110              | 5       |
| Nov. 1895    | 3754                  | 3638.6              | 95.5                           | 132              | 9       |

\*Since April the visitors counted once for the whole building.

### Among Granite Men.

H. W. Adrian has the contract for a large shaft monument of medium Quincy granite for western parties. The bottom base is 7x7. The two bottom bases are to be fine hammered; the plinth will be polished on four sides and the die polished on three sides a bronze medal on the remaining side of the die. The shaft is 20 feet high and the monument when completed will stand about 35 feet high.

Thomas & Miller have completed a handsome sarcophagus of Quincy granite to be erected in Pennsylvania to the memory of Thomas Henry Burrows.

Swingle & Falconer report that business for next season looks very encouraging.

It is reported that W. C. Townsend of Zanesville, O., is to assume charge of the plant formerly operated by him in Quincy. This plant is situated on the main line of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., and has a spur track running into the yard. It is undoubtedly one of the largest and best equipped cutting plants in the city giving employment to eight gangs. Since Mr. Townsend sold out several years ago the plant has been operated by several different firms who have not run it to its full capacity.

Within easy reach of the bed in Queen Victoria's saloon carriage is a handle on the floor, by pulling up which her majesty is able to apply the brakes to the whole train at any moment.

It is suggested that sounds too high for our ears would be recorded by the phonograph, and might be made audible by reproducing at a lower speed of the instrument.

Mr. Cleveland's income is said to be between \$90,000 and \$100,000 a year.



## PLAYING DOMINOS.

Mistress Morning—well she knows  
How to play at dominos  
With the children, blithe and gay,  
Wide awake at break of day.  
First she shows her blindest skies,  
Matched by Mary with her eyes,  
Next she plays her breezes light,  
Matched with Lucy's laughter bright.  
Then she throws her sunshine true,  
Matched with smiles by merry Lou.  
Flowers come now, sweet white and red,  
Matched by Josie's flowerlike head.  
For each charm the morning throws  
In this game of dominos  
Something sweet the children bring,  
Matching her in everything.  
If the game goes thus all day,  
Who will be the victor, pray?  
—Amos R. Wells in St. Nicholas.

## A MIDNIGHT MIRAGE.

It was nearly midnight. The ironing was done, and the clothes lay heaped on the table in snowy piles still hot from the iron. Ann Quinn drew a chair up to the little kitchen window that overlooked the river and sat down with a sigh of pain, for her back ached. She rested her chin in her hand and stared through the faint tracery of familiar objects on the glass to the water beyond, lying dark and glossy under the stars.

"I wonder if Miss Niles wants that chipped beef for breakfast," thought Ann Quinn, for she was both a cook and a laundress. "Guess I'll fry them cold potatoes left from dinner, too," she continued, her eyes resting on a faraway cluster of electric lights that trembled like a diamond pendant.

Presently, as she sat there, the red rim of the moon pushed itself up behind some trees on the opposite shore. Ann Quinn watched it rising, with a meditative look. "It's terrible red. Then little branches look like they were drawn on it with a pen. I wonder what that black thing in the water is!" she broke off as a feeler of moonlight slipped across the river to where something black and long bobbed stiffly in the current. She shaded her eyes from the lamp and pressed her face close to the glass.

"Looks like a man," she muttered. As she spoke the thing wheeled about and began drifting in toward the stone breakwater beneath the window. Slowly it drew near, the little moon sparks dancing in its wake. It floated into the shadow, and she strained her eyes in vain to follow it.

"Guess I'll go to bed," she said, giving one more look into the darkness. She did not go, though, for suddenly she saw a lean hand thrust over the breakwater, then another, and the next moment the figure of a man crawled out on the stone below her.

Ann Quinn started back, her heart pumping like a steam dregder, for she heard the thick splash of wet feet coming up the steps, and she saw a face pressed against the window that she had just quitted—a drawn face, yellow, pale as the handkerchief knotted about its throat.

"Let me in, Ann Quinn," said the lips, though she heard no voice. "Let me in."

She stood staring, her broad cheeks whiter than the plates on the dresser behind her, but she did not move. The man waited a moment; then he pushed up the sash and swung himself into the room.

The lamp blinked and guttered in the draft, and a door slammed. Ann Quinn quivered from head to foot. The man stood looking at her with fascinated eyes. "A lifetime, a whole lifetime," he whispered at last, and his voice sounded cold and empty as the echo in a vault.

"Go away!" cried Ann Quinn. "And take your wet hand off my ironing."

The man moved and stared at the piles of clothes on the table.

"Did you do that?" he asked in a low voice. "And are you tired?"

"Yes, I did it, and I am tired," she replied, stealing her way stealthily toward the door.

As she moved, her terror lent a new, catlike grace to her awkward body. She looked almost like another woman in the swaying light—a woman with narrow, wicked eyes and lithe motions. The man stepped quickly before the door and stood there, his clothes flooding the black river water on her clean floor.

"And all this time you have worked, while I have had more, a thousand times more, than I could use. And we have lived near each other here in the same city and never knew it." He covered his face with his hands and groaned. "Our sin—what was it that we should reap such lonely years in punishment?" Then he moved toward her, his arms outstretched: "My love, my lost love! Give me one kiss, my first since that other grave closed over us."

Ann Quinn gulped, and her hair rose softly. "If you touch me, I'll kill you!" she said hoarsely, catching a knife up from the shelf behind her. The man seemed not to hear her; he grasped her in his arms and crushed his mouth on hers, and his lips were wet and cold.

Ann Quinn leaped away from him and buried the great knife in his heart. He looked into her terrified eyes, and a shadow fell on his face.

"See," he said mournfully, "you have stabbed me—again; but this time it is to late."

She looked, and there was no blood gushing from that great slash—only the drip, drip of the thick water. Then she covered her face and prayed, for she saw that the man was dead.

There was a long silence, broken by the chime of a clock in the house behind them. The man shivered. "An hour more, dear God, only an hour more!" he pleaded, and he wrung his hands, crying hurriedly: "How can I say it all! How can I make her understand!" He seized Ann Quinn's arm and shook her fiercely.

"Remember, woman! Try to remember! Have I forgotten? Have I not lived alone—waiting—and you never came?"

She brushed her rough hand over her eyes, something stirred in her torpid brain. As the summer lightning, threading the sky, will show a sudden pearly perspective of unseen cloud mass, then

flash out, leaving the same blind night it found, so the soul of Ann Quinn opened for an instant beyond her wretched, work ridden world, only to close again as quickly. The man caught her look and asked, his voice tense and quivering:

"Those faded lilies of the valley, there in that cup, why did you keep them only from the flowers you throw away this morning?"

"They—they—smelled good," answered the woman, troubled, bewildered.

"Only that?"

"Yes, only that."

"Have you never dreamed of some one you loved, some one apart from this miserable squalor I find you in?"

The blood flooded her sallow face.

"What business is that of yours? Go away, I say!" she added weakly, giving him a push and catching at the table to save herself from falling.

"Tell me," he pleaded, "have you never missed me, who was more to you than those few short years ago than life or honor?"

Ann Quinn looked into his eyes and laughed. There was no mirth in that laugh, though, and he shielded himself as if she had struck at him. Then he spoke again.

"Listen," he said. "Tonight in a far land my soul will be born anew. Until then the veil is lifted. But we will chide God and love and law—and you and I together. Soon my eyes will be blinded, and I shall not know you except by this. Take it and keep it always over your heart, and though you be old and bent, and though you be a little child, still I shall know you."

He thrust his hand into his breast and drew out a leather case. He opened it and pushed something toward her. She looked. It was a faded spray of lily of the valley. Then he reached into his pocket and threw a canvas bag down on the table. "Take these," he said.

"There is enough here to keep you from this drudgery," he pointed to the ironing. "And now I must be gone. The river calls to me."

They stood looking at each other in silence. The light swam before Ann Quinn's eyes, and everything blurred but that white face staring into hers. Nearer it came, ever nearer, and she felt her muscles quiver in resistance, then grow lax; there was a pause, a gasping breath, and she had thrown herself into his arms. The cold coldness of his wet hair trailed on her neck. Closer and closer they swayed together, locked in each other's arms; then, with a strange, thin cry, like the wail of a newborn child, the man tore himself away and leaped from the window into the night beyond. There was a heavy splash and silence.

The wind had blown out the lamp. Ann Quinn groped her way to the table, dazed and stupid. She struck a match. It sputtered and went out. Then she crawled away into a corner, her wide eyes fixed on the open window. The moon swam high, and the river ran molten silver beneath it. The little stars set, and the gray scroll of morning unrolled across the night. Still she sat there, her eyes fixed on the empty window space.

Suddenly she stood up, and she felt old and dizzy and lame. She reached out and picked up the canvas bag the man had given her. She shook it, and there rolled out on the table a great handful of unset rubies. Ann Quinn stood staring at them until the first sunbeam came sifting through the darkness, lighting them into a thousand crimson sparks.

There was a rap at the door, and she thrust the jewels from sight. It was only the milkman, and he looked at the woman's face in disappointment. "So you've heard the news already?" he asked.

"What news?"

"Why, didn't you know they've found the body of Ellis Price, the milkman, drowned not a hundred yards from this very spot?"

"No," said Ann Quinn.

"Yes, and they think he must have been murdered. He left home to go to the bank with some rubies he had for his niece's wedding, and they weren't on the body anywhere."

"Murdered—murdered! What would they do if they found—some one with them rubies?" Ann Quinn asked thickly.

"Why, hang him high as he'd swing," answered the milkman.

Ten minutes later Ann Quinn stole down to the riverside. She reached over and dropped a handful of stones into the water—a handful of stones that shone like blood drops. Down they sank into the gray river slime. But on the ripples above them hung something too light to sink, for it was only a dried stem of lilies of the valley.

Ann Quinn watched it drift out of sight. Then she turned back to the house to get breakfast.—Julie Closson Kenly in San Francisco Argonaut.

## Mr. Switterda's School.

Early in the eighteenth century a Mr. Switterda, announces that ladies and gentlemen who desire in a very short time to speak Latin, French or High Dutch fluently, and can spare but two hours a week, will be faithfully taught by him according to a very easy and delightful method, full, plain, most expeditious and effectual. "Every one," he continues, "is to pay according to his quality from 1 to 5 guineas a month, but he (Mr. Switterda) will readier agree by the great." A good contrast to the above is the plain and homely description of "a school about 40 miles from London. The master has had much success with boys, as there are almost 40 ministers and masters that were his scholars. His wife also teaches girls lacing, making, plain work, raising paste, sauces and cooking to a degree of exactness. His price is £10 or £11 the year, with a pair of sheets and one spoon, to be returned if desired."—Cornhill Magazine.

## Balloons In War.

Blinkers—Do you think balloons will ever be useful in war?

Winkers (who has a good memory)—Well—er—they might come handy in case of a draft.—New York Weekly.

## WEDDING COSTUMES.

A HANDSOME DRESS MADE OF THE NEW SWANSKIN SILK.

It Is Elegant and Rich Without Being Fussy or Overdone—The Wearing of Orange Blossoms Is Optional—Taking Fancies Is Fashion.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—There are always weddings in the winter, and the dresses are prettier than ever—so very enticing that it is really not wonderful that girls rather prefer them to bloomers. To walk along the street clad in the handsomest winter costume that could be designed or purchased causes but little remark. The daintiest ball gown is only one of many, but the wed-



BRIDAL COSTUMES.

ding garb—ah! it is not every one that can have one, and she who has worn one once never has a second chance to wear the bridal veil. And so wedding dresses call forth greater admiring comment than anything else, and I do not believe there exists the woman, old or young, who would not go three blocks out of her way to see a wedding outfit.

I went several blocks today to see one about which I shall enjoy a little talk. It was elegant and rich, without being fussy or overdone, and it is exactly suited to the stately brunette who is to wear it next Tuesday. The skirt is made with a full demitain, the whole skirt stiffened with some firm interlining, which gives it a wide and ample sweep. The dress is made of the new swanskin silk, than which nothing could be more beautiful in plain surfaced goods. It was cut to fit the front and hips very closely, and all the fullness came from the cut of the front of the skirt and the plaits in the back. Across the foot of the skirt there was a puffing of silk mull held in by close little round clusters of orange buds and leaves. Down the front breadths were draperies of white silk mull loosely accented plaited, headed by bunches of buds and leaves. The upper portion of the corsage, back and front, was of plaited silk mull, with a high swiss belt of the swanskin silk, embroidered with silver. The sleeves had double puffs, with cuffs and ruffles of the mull. More little bouquets of the orange buds were set on the shoulders and the stock. A narrow wreath of them encircled the little knot of hair on the top of the head, and to this was fastened the long tulle veil in the back, where it hung like the floating, nebulous tail to a comet.

Few of the brides of this season have worn any orange blossoms, or, if they did wear any, they were very few, and they were set upon the hair or at the corsage. The wearing of orange blossoms is optional. Some brides wear no flowers at all, some like Stephanotis, and others carry a bouquet of fairy white orchids or white roses. Still I think orange blossoms somehow belong with a wedding gown. Bridesmaids have a fine opportunity to look exceedingly pretty, however they dress. At the wedding of next Tuesday the bride's sister and cousin are to officiate at this home ceremony. One has a white faille shot with pale pink and decorated with a straggling pattern in green and tiny scarlet blossoms. The skirt is entirely plain. There is a white ribbon belt, and a yoke blouse of the silk, with a white embroidered yoke and epaulets. The sleeves are loosely draped puffs. The stock is white silk, with a large ribbon ruff at the back. The cousin's dress was a mauve and white striped taffeta, with a full bias ruffle of the same around the bottom.

The woolen goods are exceedingly handsome, and it is impossible to select any one of the standard weaves as most popular. The marbled chevrons and the mixed basket weaves are perhaps the newest, but the quality and colorings of



FOR BRIDESMAIDS AND RECEPTIONS.

These excellent stuffs vary but little. Herringbone stripes, chevron weaves, small woven figures and tufted and fringed chevrons are all among the newest winter stuffs. The satin faced broadcloth is elegant, and though apparently costly it is not, on account of the great width of the material and its wearing quality.

OLIVE HAMPER.

Come to America and Get Rich.

One of the Rothschilds is quoted as saying that there will be more chances to make money in America during the next five years than in any other section of the globe.

## SIAMESE NEW YEAR.

Evil Spirits Supposed to Infest the Departing Year—A Night of Terror.

The Siamese "Choola Sakarat," or religious New Year, generally falls on the day after the first full moon in the month of March. The Brahmin astrologer, whose sole duty it is to point out the aspect of the sun, moon and stars, heralds the approaching full moon by setting in motion all the multitudinous gongs and temple bells in the city far and near. The people, who are always ready, waiting, for this signal, have generally finished their business for the year. Debts have been paid off, accounts closed, merchandise disposed of and all traffic of buying and selling suspended three days previous to the expected event.

The announcement made by the many tongued instruments is received by the vast population that inhabits the valley watered by the beautiful Menam river with fear and trembling, for they firmly believe that this is the witching hour when the very atmosphere of the world is alive with gods, demons, genii and hobgoblins, and forthwith the anxious, superstitious people hasten to frustrate their evil designs. They bind unspun cotton thread, consecrated by the priest, round their doors and windows, as the sacred thread is supposed to prove an effectual barrier in keeping out the malicious spirits. This done they place by the doors of their houses and huts a platter containing a pig's head and a bottle of arrack, as a conciliatory repast for the wandering ghosts that may desire to regale themselves during the night, after which the whole city, like the snail, draws in its horns and no consideration will tempt a mortal soul to venture out of it until sunrise the next morning.

At sunset every family offers to its own household genii an oblation of candies, perfumed tapers and roasted rice. As for the royal palace, 7,000 balls of unspun cotton, of seven fibers, consecrated by 27 priests, are reeled round and round the walls, and from sunset until dawn a terrific and continuous cannonading is heard from all the forts of the city to root the evil spirits that infest the departing year.

But once this dreadful night is passed, the terror stricken inhabitants, with a long drawn sigh of relief, prepare to welcome the new year. Dressed in many colored silks, they repair first to the temples to offer praise and thanksgiving for their deliverance and to make handsome gifts to the priests, and not until they have propitiated Buddha and Buddha's earthly representatives do they think of their own merry-making.—Exchange.

## New Year's Wassail Bowl.

No English holiday was of much account that was not observed with flowing bowl. On New Year's eve the wassail bowl was filled with spiced ale and drunk in families, and poorer folk tied a bowl with ribbons and begged for money for ale to fill and refill the bowl, singing:

Wassail, wassail all over the town;  
Our toast it is white; our ale it is brown;  
Our bowl it is made of a maple tree;  
We be good fellows all; I drink to thee.

In some parts of England the old year is "swept out" by men and boys with blackened faces, dressed to represent sweeps; in others it is "burned out" with bonfires. Sometimes it is rung out with muffled bells that are unmuffled and rung clear after 12 o'clock.—Independent.

## What Happy New Year Means.

A happy New Year! What does it mean? Are not these words often thrown out as a greeting without thought or depth of meaning? Is it a year in which to ourselves come wealth and health, prosperity and friendship; one spent in the pursuit of fleeting pleasure and filled with self centered interest? No! Rather let the wish be to each and all, as the new year dawns with all its opportunities, that the days of 1896 may be well spent—filled with thought and sympathy for those around; that in self forgetting and kindly deeds the happiness of others may be ever sought, and then most truly will each act rebound again in joy and blessing to the heart from which it springs.—Maud Booth.

## New Year Means Progress.

A new year, not simply another year. Many people may be said to live the same old year over and over again. Each succeeding year is the same unit added once more to the sum of life. There is the same task performed in the same spirit with the same motive; the same imperfections of character, the same failures of conduct. The times may change and progress hasten, but if we stand still, we live only the old year once again. A new year never comes to the contented ox; he simply grows old. It is not the lapse of time or the progress of civilization, but our progress, which makes possible to us a new year.—Josiah Strong.

## For the Ensuing Year.

May the new year, just opening to us, be signalled in public and in private life by the growth of noble ideas—of ideas that shall make men freer, truer, better; that shall more and more reflect the incomparable teachings of the Holy Child whose nativity we have just celebrated, and whose spirit, imitated and obeyed, can redeem the time and crown mankind with blessedness.—Christian Work.

## Birth of the Year.

How like a human birth the waking hour Of the child year! The weak and querulous gale Mid tears of rain doth lift a kindred wail. Blankly the sun's eye stares; the air doth lower Dense as a listless ear. Beneath a shower Of snow fresh fallen those branches, white and frail As newborn limbs, lie prone, with only power Given to endure what wind so'er prevail. The baby lips that pout their hungering Do not more wistfully the nurse invite Than every spiral leaf bud yearns for spring. And as the young blue eyes wax deep and bright While the seal greeters, so the glowing light Widens by morn and eve its azure ring. —Philadelphia Times.

## LIVING AT BIG HOTELS.

COST OF LUXURY AND COMFORT IN NEW YORK.

You May Spend \$500 Per Day, but If Your Tastes Are Simple You Can Worry Along For \$10 a Day, Says Edith Sessions Tupper.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The first question with all New Yorkers is, "How shall we live?" In no other city on the American continent is so much consideration given to the ways and means of living well, easily and luxuriously. From the superb brownstone mansions on Fifth avenue to the tiny flats in Harlem is living made a science and as much of an art as the circumstances will permit.

## To Escape Drudgery.

The convenience of the apartment house has been thoroughly demonstrated. The condensation of labor is a boon to the housekeeper. Inventions are continually making existence more comfortable.



ROOM AT THE WALDORF OCCUPIED BY THE DUKE OF VERAGUA AND LORD DUNRAVEN.

able. The servant problem, on the other hand, is constantly driving people from their own homes to seek an abode where this vexation will not enter, where all the days will glide by smoothly and peacefully without one thought as to who shall prepare and serve the meals and perform the other necessary drudgery of life.

## But It Costs High.

Fortunate indeed is the man or woman who can afford to live in one of these famous hotels. And what does it cost to support existence under such circumstances? Take the Plaza, that huge pile of stone that rears its haughty head to look over into Central park just where Fifty-ninth street and Fifth avenue cross. A single man may get a very comfortable outside room for \$6 a day. His board will cost him \$17.50 a week in addition. Then there are the extras—tips, laundry, wines, guests. This is considered a very low figure in the way of easy living. The Duke of Marlborough occupied a suit at this hotel previous to his marriage with Miss Vanderbilt. His rooms were on the parlor floor. They consisted of drawing room, two bedrooms, dressing room, bathroom and two closets. They were carpeted in pearl gray velvet and furnished in mahogany and brass. Malachite and Sevres vases and jars ornamented the mantels and Siena marble tables. For this elegance his grace paid \$25 a day. This same suit was the home of Miss Anna Gould previous to her marriage to the little French Count Castellane. For a suit consisting of parlor, bedroom and bath \$12 a day is an average price. A man and his wife would thus pay \$84 a week for rooms; board on the American plan would be \$17.50 each, making a total of \$119 a week for bare living. The tips and extras would easily make it \$125 a week.

## A Superb Suit.

Across from the Plaza stands the lofty Romanesque hotel known as the Netherlands. Its interior is like that of a palace, with its Algerian onyx columns and walls, its vases of richly carved and polished Numidian marble and its bronze ceilings. Money has been lavished to art here, and the result is bewildering in its beauty. You may indeed room in this palace for \$2 a day or may add to your sleeping room the luxury of a bath for \$3. But if you wish to live in accordance with your surroundings of marble halls, point lace, carvings and exquisitely painted walls and ceilings you must expect to pay for the privilege. Suppose you are a bridegroom. You can have the bridal suit on the first floor, drawing room, private dining room, two bed-



DRAWING ROOM NOW OCCUPIED BY GEORGE GOULD.

rooms, bath and closets, for \$300 a week. Of course, being very much in love, you will not eat much, so your board bill will not be very exorbitant.

The writer was shown a superb suit of rooms, consisting of drawing room, whose windows commanded an extensive view both up and down the avenue; private hall, three bedrooms and private dining room, occupied now by a mother and son and two servants, for which the sum of \$300 a week is paid. There is a private telephone in the hall which is \$150 for six months. These people entertain a great deal, their table always being laid with covers for six or eight, and their board bill is from \$15 to \$20 a day.

At the Savoy, that charming hotel whose interior, with its opalescent tints of wall and chandelier, is like some grotto of the nymphs in the grand transformation scene of the ballet, you can live in four or five rooms for \$40 a day, or you can get the cheapest room in the house for \$8 a day. Mrs. Vanderbilt, Nellie Melba and the Princess Enalia

are among the famous patrons of this hotel. Mrs. Vanderbilt's rooms are on the sixth floor and are \$35 a day.

## For Dukes and Such.

If you are a duke or a lord, you can have the state apartments at the Waldorf for \$500 a day. These are the rooms the Duke of Veragua and Lord Dunraven occupied while in town! Possibly they got special rates on the strength of the prestige they brought with them. At all events, the rate is as quoted. And, as hotel rates go, the suit is worth the money. The rooms are fitted up to look as much like the interior of a mediæval castle as possible and are filled with priceless antiques, rugs, tapestries and superb furniture. There is one ruby velvet curtain, embossed in gold, which cost \$1,800, and if you will have ruby velvet portiers and carved black tables and chairs and china that belonged to all the crowned heads of Europe you must expect to pay for these luxurious appointments.

For \$20 a day you can have the Louis XVI suit, a dream of white and gold and amber brocade, powdered over with gay scarlet and pink roses; \$22 a day gives you a double corner suit, consisting of parlor, ladies' saloon, with alcove bedroom, two bedrooms and bath.

The board at the Waldorf is not in excess of the Holland's or Delmonico's. One can worry along comfortably on \$5 or \$6 a day, exclusive of wines. The tips here are not so great as in many hotels for this reason. Each floor has a complete culinary service. There are pantries, refrigerators, heaters, silver, linen, glass and waiters who speak every language. The regular boarders thus get the same waiters day after day, and the wholesale robbery perpetrated on guests by the various hallboys in some hotels is escaped. Mr. George Gould is occupying a suit at the Waldorf this season, called the "tapestry suit," for which he pays \$45 a day.

## English, You Know.

If you wish to be extremely English, you will go to the Holland House, named for a famous historic mansion, run in English fashion and with English service. Here an ordinary sort of chap can live on \$10 a day by himself; with wife and family on \$15 or \$20 a day. For \$35 a day you can have a suite of four rooms and include the service of maid or valet. This valet service is a feature of the house. Every floor has a certain number of valets who get a list of the rooms occupied by gentlemen and go to them every morning to proffer their services in sponging clothing, creasing trousers, blocking silk hats and that sort of thing, you know. These valets are all Englishmen. For from \$28 to \$33 a day you can have a suite of rooms furnished in old rose velvet and satin, standard lamps lighted by electricity and all the modern luxuries. All these hotels, with the exception of the Plaza, are on the European plan. The Plaza has both European and American table board. The European plan is always expensive, and one can imagine the restaurant bills of any one who lives at these hotels. To live at a fashionable New York hotel requires a solid bank account, though there are many impecunious people who contrive, heaven knows how, to flourish in them for awhile like green bay trees. But the hour of cutting down always arrives.

EDITH SESSIONS TUPPER.

## A GREAT JOCKEY'S VIEWS.

Fred Tatal Interviewed at His Winter Home in Atlanta.

[Special Correspondence.]

ATLANTA, Dec. 23.—When I met Fred Tatal, the world celebrated jockey, at one of Atlanta's swell hotels yesterday, I buttonholed him and asked him to tell me something about the future of racing in this country. Anything this quiet, gentlemanly young man has to say about the turf carries weight, for he is the premier rider of the world today and is little given to talking at any time. Said he:

"The prospects are that we shall have better racing this coming season than at any time for the last five or six years. Everything points that way now, and especially is this true of Morris park, Sheepshead and Brooklyn, the three best courses in existence. I would personally rather ride the course at the former track than on any other I have ever seen. It is wide, and all horses have a chance, which is not true of all tracks by any means. The half mile stretch there is splendid. Since the late decision, which practically knocked out Peter De Lacy, race track enthusiasts should take heart, for it means better times all around. It means better horses, and, equally important, it means that the man you bet with at the track must belong to a more superior class of sportsman than under the old regime. There are an A1 lot of jockeys in the field this season, too, which is in itself a good thing. Owners take more pains with their boys than formerly. As you may know, I have left James R. Keene and shall ride next year for Marcus Daly, the Montana copper king. I get a big salary, but as Mr. Daly made me promise not to reveal the figure I shall not do so. I remain in Atlanta a few months and begin training at Daly's Long Branch stables about April 1.

"Whom do I regard the grandest race horse living? Why, Henry of Navarre by all means. August Belmont owns him. Salvator was a good one, but I hardly think the equal of Henry of Navarre. Haggin owns him. Am I going abroad to ride? No; I had a chance, and a good one, but after the way they roasted poor Sims I decided to stay here and let well enough alone."

Tatal married an Atlanta girl and spends his winters in the Gate City of the South. He was born in Peoria, Ill., 28 years ago. His father kept the Tremont hotel there for many years. He is careful of his money, and, as the whole sporting world knows, owns a handsome residence on Lenox avenue, New York city. In addition, he owns a roadhouse on the Seventh avenue drive, which brings him in a tidy revenue. As he himself says, "I'm doing pretty well."

AD. VANCE.



## IN ARMENIA'S BEHALF.

Boston Business Men Consider What Should Be Done.

Is Estimated That \$500,000 Will Be Needed.

Perfectly Willing to Place Funds in Hands of Red Cross Society.

BOSTON, Dec. 31.—In response to the invitation issued by several prominent citizens for a meeting at which to organize in support of the American National Red Cross in its proposed work in behalf of the suffering Armenians in Asia Minor, a number of the business men of this city assembled yesterday at noon in the Aldermanic chamber at city hall.

Mayor-elect Josiah Quincy acted as presiding officer. In opening the meeting he said, in part: "We have seen the great powers stand idly by and make no efforts thus far to put to an end the extraordinary conditions prevailing in Armenia. While people of the United States have no direct interest as European countries have in the affairs of the Turkish empire, they have, nevertheless, been aroused to a sense of the necessity of some action toward alleviating the sufferings in Armenia."

Miss Clara Barton, who is at the head of the Red Cross organization, was then introduced. She said that three weeks ago she had never thought that she or the Red Cross society would be called upon to aid the Armenians. It was not until a committee from Boston solicited her aid that she had given it consideration. It was necessary that the Red Cross society should receive unanimous support, and that ample financial support should be furnished, she said. It was necessary that the society should be backed by the credit of the government and American people.

When the money asked for had been subscribed, the society had no alternative but to accept the mission. The society has been carrying for 19 years, and had never appealed for money. It had always gone to a field of action with supplies sufficient to do some good when they got there.

Miss Barton, in answer to a query, said if there was anything in this country whom the Turkish government would be likely to allow to enter Armenia, it was the representatives of the Red Cross society.

Hon. Jonathan A. Lane moved the adoption of a set of resolutions that had been drawn up. They were read by Secretary Guild, and passed, as follows:

**The Resolutions.**  
Whereas, the awfulness of the suffering Armenians in Asia Minor has stirred the hearts of our countrymen and led to organized efforts for relief; and

Whereas, the American National Red Cross has announced its readiness to take the field as soon as adequate support is assured; and

Whereas, Miss Barton, the president of the Red Cross (whom we gladly welcome as our guest today) is here in this city, and is open in Turkey for her and her staff to distribute our gifts in the afflicted districts of the interior; therefore,

Resolved, That the chairman of this meeting be authorized to appoint a committee of 30 gentlemen, with power to add to their number, to inaugurate a plan for obtaining subscriptions throughout the city.

Resolved, That in view of what has been done by the Boston committee of five in receiving and forwarding over \$3,000 through trustworthy channels, we would ask their assistance in this larger movement of our citizens;

Resolved, That in order to secure full cooperation in this work, the governors, mayors, boards of trade and citizens generally throughout New England, be and hereby are requested to unite with us by effecting similar organizations without delay.

Resolved, That we recommend Messrs. Brown Bros. & Co., 50 State street, as the treasurer of our funds.

The committee appointed by Chairman Quincy is composed of J. A. Lane, Alden Spear, W. F. Robinson, Elmer Jordan, Jr., A. Shuman, E. H. Dunn, P. W. Breed, Frank Wood, J. P. Bates, Edwin Ginn, S. B. Capen, T. P. Capen, T. S. Wentworth, J. V. Fletcher, A. A. Pope, Franklin Haven, J. M. Sears, W. A. Gaston, C. F. Donnelly, J. G. Paige, S. S. Blanchard, G. H. Taylor, J. S. Holmes, Stephen O'Meara, Jerome Jones, E. H. Haskell, J. H. Hecht, W. H. Hayward, M. P. Kennard, A. S. Porter and A. G. Weeks.

**Red Cross Conditions.**  
G. H. Pullman, a member of the Red Cross society, declared that if the Red Cross went to Turkey on this mission to Armenians, it must go unhindered by any conditions attached to the funds. The society must have absolute control of them. He ridiculed the terms "venerable" and "deceitful," which had been applied to Miss Barton, and declared that no man present could surpass her in endurance in carrying on the work of relief.

In reply to questions, he said that \$100,000 should be in the hands of the society before it applied to Turkey for admission. He thought that a conservative estimate of the number of Armenians who are destitute was from 800,000 to 850,000.

Chairman Porter of the original relief committee told about the formation of the Anglo-American committee of relief in Constantinople. He stated that England had already sent about \$100,000, which was more than America had sent. Another question brought from Miss Barton the statement that she had no knowledge of the Red Cross being sent from any other country. The international society approved of the mission of the American branch.

Addresses were made by Mr. Gulesian, Mr. Lane, Robert T. Paine and Mrs. Julia W. Howe in support of the movement to raise funds for the support of Red Cross work in Turkey. Mrs. Howe's address in special was a most impassioned plea for civilization. For Christendom to reproach the Turk and put an end to the massacre of Armenians.

In closing, Mayor-elect Quincy thanked Miss Barton on behalf of the audience for her presence and aid and also those who were with her.

**Anthony Found.**  
BOSTON, Dec. 31.—Frederick E. Anthony, the Providence real estate broker, who mysteriously disappeared from Young's hotel, this city, Dec. 21, was last night found quietly eating a hearty supper in a Chinatown street restaurant. He was taken to Young's by his relatives and left for Providence today. His friends and relatives engaged the services of the police and Pinkertons, and offered a reward of \$500 for information that would lead to his location. This information was furnished last evening by A. W. Lewis, proprietor of the restaurant, who notified J. W. Tillinghast, Anthony's nephew, and Mr. Bliss, who had been ac-

tive in the search. Anthony did not seem surprised to see them, and without hesitation accompanied them to the hotel. He refused to make any explanation of his disappearance, but it is understood his mind was slightly deranged.

**Brookfield Bank Robbed.**

BROOKFIELD, Mass., Dec. 31.—Hiram P. Gerald, cashier of the Brookfield Savings bank, has disappeared. It is believed he is a defaulter to the amount of between \$10,000 and \$15,000, and his disappearance strengthens this belief. About three weeks ago George W. Johnson, president of the bank, was appointed receiver. He instituted an investigation into the affairs of the institution, and soon discovered something wrong with Gerald's accounts. Attachments have been placed on his property in Brookfield, and a deputy sheriff went to Springfield and placed an attachment of \$20,000 on Gerald's property in Hampden county. Gerald was town clerk of Brookfield. He ran a drug store, was interested in many business enterprises and was prominent in the affairs of the town.

**Well Known in Lynn.**

LYNN, Mass., Dec. 31.—Mrs. Mary A. Davidson, arrested for blackmail in San Francisco, had a rapid career in this city, 1889-91-92-93-94, when she conducted a piano agency. She was finally arrested for selling mortgaged property and served one year at Sherburn. A sensational controversy with a minister and a host of creditors seeking her were other incidents in her Lynn history.

**Ready For Service.**

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 31.—Steamer St. Croix, built by the New England Ship-Building company of Bath for the International Steamboat company, made her trial trip yesterday, and last night made her first trip from Portland to St. John. On the trial spin to Seguin and return, the St. Croix developed a speed of 17 1/2 knots an hour. She will run from Boston to St. John.

**End of Libel Case.**

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 31.—William P. Maroney, ex-assessor of Pawtucket, who recently brought suit against several Pawtucket people on a charge of libelling him by means of petitions for his removal from office, was yesterday awarded \$399.29 in the supreme court. The case grew out of charges that Maroney used his office to further his business interests.

**Brooklyn's Marshal Out.**

BROOKLYN, Mass., Dec. 31.—Mayor Whipple last night accepted the resignation of City Marshal Chase, and appointed him acting city marshal until Mayor-elect Williamson appoints his successor, when he will be assigned to night duty on the regular force until other changes are made.

**Elliott's Ambition.**

BOSTON, Dec. 31.—Sterling Elliott will be a candidate for the presidency of the League of American Wheelmen. In an interview last night, Mr. Elliott said that he stood squarely on the racing issue, and maintains that the league should not give up the control of racing.

**No Coal Necessary.**

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 31.—Steamer Turret Bay sailed from Port Richmond yesterday with a cargo of 20 oil-burning locomotives, built by the Baldwin Locomotive works for the Russian government. The engines weigh 37 tons each, and are built with special fire-boxes for burning petroleum instead of oil. They are designed for both freight and passenger service on the trans-Caucasian railroad. Another cargo of the same number of engines will be shipped in January.

**A Providence Failure.**

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 31.—The H. W. Ladd company, one of the largest dry goods firms in Providence, and of which ex-Governor Ladd is the head, assigned yesterday afternoon. Assets, \$354,613.78; liabilities, \$227,880.41. The assignment was caused by business complications with the Burrows estate. It is believed the company will continue in business.

**Children Will Contribute.**

BOSTON, Dec. 31.—The "America" Memorial Monument association yesterday put into shape for public presentation the movement for a national monument to Dr. S. F. Smith, author of "America." The site of the monument will be in Boston or Washington. The children of American schools will be asked to contribute.

**Many Relatives Left Out.**

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 31.—A contest over the will of the late Judge Eli Ayresworth has begun here. Over \$500,000 is involved, and no less than six different attempts to break the will will be made. Many of the judge's relatives were not remembered in the will. At the time of his death he was over 90 years old.

**Saw For a Weapon.**

EXETER, Me., Dec. 31.—A dispute arose here yesterday between George B. Dow and Henry Bacon, and Bacon made a murderous assault on Dow with a cross-cut saw, inflicting several ugly wounds. Bacon has been arrested.

**Down With Typhoid.**

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The young Duchess of Marlborough is very sick in Rome with typhoid fever, a private letter received from there announces. The fever was contracted while she was in Spain.

**Fatal Railway Wreck.**

CINCINNATI, Dec. 31.—Two passenger trains collided last night near Coal City, 14 miles from Cincinnati. Two men were killed and seven seriously injured. Both engines were totally wrecked, as the engineers had little time to check their speed. A combination car and express car were telescoped.

**A Tennessee Episode.**

CHATTANOOGA, Dec. 31.—Chief Justice Snodgrass was arrested yesterday on a warrant sworn out by John R. Beasley, charging him with assault with intent to kill. The warrant was served by a country constable, and was taken out at Sherman Heights, five miles in the country, and was kept very quiet.

**Holmes' Lawyer Indicted.**

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 31.—The grand jury has found a true indictment against William A. Shoemaker, one of the attorneys for H. B. Holmes. The bill charges Shoemaker with attempted subornation of perjury in connection with the unsuccessful effort to secure a new trial for Holmes.

**Early Settlement Looked For.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The lockout of coat makers continues, but the arrangements made by the Brotherhood of Tailors to open two large co-operative shops, and the support promised by wholesale manufacturers, are likely to force the contractors' association to an early settlement.

## MONEY TO LIBRARIES

SOME ENORMOUS BEQUESTS BY PUBLIC SPIRITED MEN.

New York's Great Consolidated Library Not So Large as Those of Boston, Cambridge or Chicago—The Most Liberally Endowed Libraries in the Country.

[Special Correspondence.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—The consolidation of the Astor and Lenox libraries with the Tilden library fund gives to New York city one of the most richly endowed libraries in the United States. The Tilden fund is about \$1,700,000. The Lenox library is worth \$2,000,000. The Astor family gave to the Astor library more than \$1,000,000. This makes the value of the consolidated library nearly \$5,000,000, which is the greatest endowment in the history of American libraries. The only library which approaches these in this respect is the Newberry library, in Chicago, to which was left property which has been appraised at various amounts from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000. There are less than 60 libraries in the United States having an endowment as great as \$500,000. The most wealthy of these endowed institutions are:

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| Newberry library, Chicago.....                     | \$3,000,000 |
| University of Minnesota library, Minneapolis.....  | 800,000     |
| Auburn Theological seminary, New York.....         | 623,000     |
| Boston Athenaeum.....                              | 527,750     |
| Lehigh university, Pennsylvania.....               | 449,426     |
| Library company of Philadelphia.....               | 437,700     |
| Harvard university.....                            | 362,000     |
| Cornell university.....                            | 300,000     |
| Sea library, Cleveland.....                        | 300,000     |
| Silas Bronson library, Waterbury, Conn.....        | 282,354     |
| Boston Public library.....                         | 201,007     |
| Peabody institute, Peabody, Mass.....              | 163,000     |
| American Academy of Arts and Sciences, Boston..... | 138,568     |
| Chicago Historical society.....                    | 125,639     |
| Haverhill Public library, Massachusetts.....       | 122,905     |
| Mercantile library company, Philadelphia.....      | 122,000     |
| Long Island Historical society, Brooklyn.....      | 121,000     |
| American Antiquarian society, Worcester, Mass..... | 115,548     |
| Northwestern university, Evanston, Ind.....        | 112,000     |
| Bangor university, Bangor, Me.....                 | 112,000     |
| Perkins Institute for the Blind, South Boston..... | 107,500     |
| Apprentices' library, Philadelphia.....            | 105,500     |
| Public library, New London, Conn.....              | 100,000     |
| American Geographical society, New York.....       | 100,000     |
| Columbia college, New York.....                    | 100,000     |
| Peabody academy of sciences, Salem, Mass.....      | 100,000     |
| Grosvener Public library, Buffalo.....             | 100,000     |

At together all the endowments in excess of \$50,000 which belong to the libraries of the United States, and you have a grand total of about \$12,500,000, of which the endowments of the Newberry library, Chicago, and the consolidated Astor-Lenox-Tilden library, New York, have nearly two-thirds—that is, those two libraries together are richer twice than all the other great libraries in the United States combined.

**Endowments and Actual Value.**  
Of course this question of endowments, in most cases, does not take into consideration the bequests of books made to libraries or the actual value of the matter on the library shelves. Many of the great libraries of the country have been made rich without an endowment by the liberality of some bibliophile. The largest and richest libraries are not always those with large endowments. The Newberry library, with all its wealth, is still a comparatively unimportant institution. Walter L. Newberry, whose will gave to this library one-half his large estate, was a Chicago merchant who was born in Windsor, Conn., and who received a good early education and was intended for West Point. Most of the endowments for libraries and many of those for the great universities have come from successful merchants who were not graduates of the colleges.

**Harvard and Yale.**

The Harvard library, which stands with the Boston library among the great book collections of the country, has received its supplies from a hundred different sources. Its early benefactors were Governor Winthrop, Richard Bellingham, John Lightfoot, Sir Kenelm Digby and Richard Baxter. In 1677 the library collection was doubled by a bequest from Rev. Theophilus Gale, a learned philosopher. United States Senator Christopher Gore of Massachusetts gave \$100,000 to the library, and Gore hall is named in his honor. E. P. Greenleaf, a Boston miser, left \$500,000 to the college, of which a part was to be devoted to the establishment of the Greenleaf department in the library. James Walker, once president of the college, bequeathed to it \$15,000 and his valuable library. Francis C. Gray, a Boston attorney, left 8,000 engravings to the library and a fund of \$16,000 to maintain them, and his nephew added \$25,000 to the bequest for the purchase of books.

Rev. Peter Bulkley, the founder of Concord, Mass., contributed his own library, valuable for that day, in 1659. Israel Thordike, a Boston merchant who knew only the advantages of a common school education, presented to the library the collection of 10,000 maps and 4,000 books on American subjects made at Hamburg by C. D. Ebeling, a German scholar.

Yale received benefits for its library from various sources. George Berkeley, a British clergyman who came to this country with a view to establishing a sectarian educational institution in the Bermudas, and who abandoned that idea because his English friends failed to make the necessary contributions, sent to Yale about 150 years ago what was at that time the finest library in the United States. Mr. Berkeley also gave to Yale college a fine farm, which is still the property of the institution. George Brinley of Boston, a collector of Americana, divided \$25,000 worth of books among several institutions, and Yale was fortunate enough to get a good share of them. Jeremiah Danmer, a Boston scholar, gave to the library 800 volumes. Jared Linsley of Connecticut and his uncle Noah established funds

for the purchase of books for the library. Lowell Mason gave to the library his valuable collection of music literature.

**Other Great Benefactors.**

Lehigh university, at South Bethlehem, Pa., was more fortunate than any other educational institution in the endowment of its library. Asa Packer, who founded the university, giving it \$500,000, left by his will \$1,500,000 to the college and nearly \$500,000 to the college library.

Cornell college library received a gift of \$100,000 from Ezra Cornell, \$150,000 for a building from John McGraw of Ithaca and a collection of 30,000 volumes and 10,000 pamphlets worth \$100,000 from Andrew D. White, the first president of the college.

The University of Rochester received \$100,000 from Hiram Sibley, the financier who helped Morse get an appropriation from congress to test the telegraph, and who was the first president of the Western Union Telegraph company.

George Peabody was more generous to libraries than any other American. He gave \$30,000 to found the Peabody institute and library at Danvers, Mass., afterward Peabody, and subsequently \$170,000 to the same institution. He gave \$50,000 to found a library at North Danvers. He gave \$150,000 to the Peabody museum and library at Salem, Mass. These sums were in addition to the millions he devoted to the cause of education in Massachusetts and in the south.

Silas Bronson, a native of Middlebury, Conn., left an enduring monument to his name at Waterbury, Conn., in the library which he founded, and which bears his name. He gave to this library \$200,000. He was a retired New York merchant at the time of his death.

Bangor, Me., owes its Public library to the liberality of Samuel F. Hersey, at one time a member of congress, who bequeathed \$100,000 to found this institution. West Bay City, Mich., has to thank H. W. Sage of Connecticut for a library established with an endowment of \$30,000. Charles E. Forbes, who was county attorney at Northampton, left about the same amount, his entire fortune, to found the Northampton library.

E. B. Morgan, a New York congressman, was one of the benefactors of the Auburn Theological seminary. With William E. Dodge he built, at a cost of \$40,000, the structure in which the library is housed. Mr. Morgan was a philanthropist in other directions.

The Philadelphia library, which was founded by Benjamin Franklin, was indebted early in its career to James Logan, once private secretary to William Penn, for 2,000 volumes, a large library at that time. Later Logan's nephew presented to the library 1,300 volumes, and William Mackenzie gave to it 5,000 volumes more.

The library of the Long Island Historical society is indebted to George I. Seney, the banker, who gave \$100,000 to it. Mr. Seney's benefactions have amounted to \$1,000,000.

The Lenox library of New York, while claiming an endowment of only \$300,000, was actually worth \$2,000,000 when James Lenox, its founder, conveyed it to the city of New York. The Astor library was founded on a bequest of \$400,000 in the will of the first John Jacob Astor. His son William B. added bequests of \$550,000 value, and the present John Jacob Astor has increased the bequest \$250,000.

**GEORGE GRANTHAM BAIN.**

**NANKIVELL.**

**The Talented Cartoonist of the Pacific Slope.**

[Special Correspondence.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 25.—Nankivell is a feature of San Francisco. If you are thrown among writers and artists here, the first question put to you is, "Have you met Nankivell?"

He is a little Australian, with a wonderful head, masses of dark hair tossed about in most astonishingly artistic dis-



NANKIVELL.

order, big, staring, green eyes, a somewhat saucy nose and a full, sensible mouth. Frank Nankivell is the cartoonist of the Pacific coast as well as an artist of great genius. He has been in San Francisco only a year, but in that time he has created a new era of art for this decidedly cosmopolitan town. His society types are as distinct as Gibson's, his studies after Audley Beardsley are screamingly funny, and his cartoons dealing with current news and local politics are as clever as any ever drawn in this country. Nankivell goes east soon with Bob Davis, brother of Sam Davis, the Immortal Sagebrush Liar, as he is called in this country. Davis, who is a bright newspaper man, full of original ideas, has planned a bicycle lecture tour across the continent. He has engaged the Australian artist to go with him and illustrate these lectures. The two propose to do all the big towns between here and Gotham. It is only another instance of the audacity and originality of the west.

**JANE SESSONS.**

**To Lessen Suffering In War.**

Special attention is being given by the French military authorities to the question of securing the wounded on battlefields when night comes on after a great battle.

## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 5. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—Prayer—how to use and enjoy it.—Luke xviii, 1-14. (A meeting of preparation for the week of prayer.)

That Jesus Christ attached great importance to prayer is proved by the fact that He constantly emphasized it in His teachings and practiced it in His life. In the sermon on the mount He enforces it as one of the cardinal virtues of the perfect disciple. At the request of His disciples He taught them how to pray, giving them a model of prayer that is wonderful in its construction and has had a marvelous influence for good in the world. Again toward the close of his ministry we are introduced to two parables on the subject of prayer which emphasize two important features that should characterize our prayers—namely, importunity and humility.

1. Importunity in prayer. This is taught by the parable of the woman and the unjust judge, who heard her and granted her request simply because she persisted in her request. Thus it is illustrated to us that "men ought always to pray and not to faint." For if an unjust judge would hear the prayers of one who was in no way related to her, because she was persistent, how much more readily we may believe that the just Judge would hear the prayers of His children. If they were constantly brought before Him, Prayer is the only weapon we have by which we can move the arm of God, and this one weapon must be wielded constantly. God often keeps us waiting for our own good, but if we persist He will hear us.

2. Humility in prayer. This is taught by contrast in the parable of the Pharisee and the publican. In his self confidence and self righteousness the Pharisee offers up a self congratulatory prayer. It is not heard. The publican, on the other hand, standing afar off, scarcely lifting his eyes to heaven, smote his breast and exclaimed "God be merciful to me, a sinner." He went down to his house justified. Thus we are taught self abasement in prayer. Self exaltation leads to self abasement, but self abasement leads to self exaltation.

These are two of the leading characteristics of prayer, and if we use prayer in the right way we will enjoy it. Our enjoyment lies in its proper use. It is when we pray constantly and humbly that we are on the way to the spiritual rapture to be found in prayer. Let us then pray determined not to be denied. Let us pray in the humble, penitential key continually, and we will find exaltation, rapture and joy in thus communing with God.

**Bible Readings.**—I Chron. xvi, 8-16; Job xxxiii, 26-30; Ps. lxxv, 1, 2; cxxii, 6-9; Math. v, 44, 45; vii, 7; ix, 36-38; xxvi, 41; Mark xi, 24-26; John xi, 41, 42; xiv, 13; Rom. xv, 30-32; Eph. vi, 18; Phil. iv, 6; Col. iv, 2, 3; 1 Tim. ii, 1-4; Heb. x, 19-22; Jas. v, 13-20; 1 Pet. iv, 7.

**Forty Years of Christian Endeavor.**

February, 1881, one society formed, less than 50 members pledged, one pastor interested, one church aided, one denomination represented, one city and one state wherein the society might be found. Today over 42 societies organized, over 2,500,000 members enlisted, thousands of pastors and churches in 32 denominations interested, helped and represented. Every state and territory identified with the cause, every province of Canada, almost every foreign country, all missionary lands and thriving united societies in Great Britain, Australia, Japan, China, and latest the world's union of Christian Endeavor, make it possible to say that the Christian Endeavor movement encircles the globe and it is all what God has wrought.—John Willis Baer.

**Practical Christian Endeavor.**

Christian Endeavor is of an especially practical turn across the water, and the societies hesitate at nothing, no matter how great the amount of work involved, that promises to bring results to the cause of Christ. One Leicester (England) society has a "baby care taking committee," whose duty it is to go with those who carry on the open air work just before the time for Sunday service. During the outdoor address they speak to the people who come to the doors to listen, and offer to take charge of any of the little children while their parents go to service in the chapel.—Golden Rule.

**Prison Work In Kentucky.**

Kentucky Endeavorers have done notable work among the inmates of the state prison at Louisville and many conversions have resulted. These activities began with the sending of more than 1,000 Christmas letters to the prisoners. Now two Christian Endeavor societies have just been reported at the branch prison at Eddyville. A number of conversions attended the formation of these societies. "In prison and ye came unto me."

**Following His Lead.**

Like Alpine climbers, our own safety is in steadfastly fixing our gaze on Him, our guide, and following step by step the path He trod, that He might know all the dangers and difficulties that beset our way. And we may be sure He will never lead us farther or faster than we can safely follow.—Rose Porter.

**The True Endeavor Spirit.**

The Christian Endeavor societies in distant Wales have got the Endeavor spirit. One of the societies in Cardiff last year, during the pastor's vacation, maintained all the Sunday and week evening services of the church. This society holds a regular children's service every Sunday evening.

**Flowers For the Poor.**

Some of the Endeavorers of Kilwarlin, Ireland, have set apart little plots in their gardens especially for the purpose of raising flowers to be sent up to Belfast for distribution among the sick poor, a noble work that might well be done by thousands of American Endeavorers.—Selected.

## NEWS AND VIEWS.

Edith Sessions Tupper's Observations From the Metropolis.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The up to date Gotham woman appears to be a firm advocate of the apotheosis of the hideous in the way of ornaments. I sat opposite a woman in an "L" train the other day who, irreproachably gowned and bonneted, wore among the laces at her throat a gawsome ebony coffin as a brooch. A smart young woman who spent the summer in Paris called on me one day last week. As she threw back her velvet cape I noticed a pin thrust among the jet fringes of her bodice. It was a golden gallows tree, and from it dangled the golden corpse of a hanged man. I expressed my horror at this misguided freak of fancy. "Why, that's my mascot!" exclaimed the young lady. "I picked that up in Paris. Every other woman was wearing a gallows for good luck."

Quite a recent fad in the line of ornamentation is to have diamonds set for eyes in the head of the mink or sable of your fur boa. I know a great swell who took her \$400 diamond earrings and had them set in the head of her ermine boa. The boa was stolen about a week afterward.

One of the gowns in the trousseau of Miss Emma Rockefeller, the daughter of the Standard Oil magnate, was shown me by an obliging modiste. It was an evening robe of palest turquoise satin. There was a deep berth of cream duchess lace falling over the shoulders. This was headed by a roll of turquoise velvet, knotted here and there in butterfly bows. There was also a pointed belt of the pale blue velvet. It was a simple and exquisite robe.

There is fashion in everything, even in eggs and butter. In those quarters of the town where wealthy people dwell are the daintiest dairy shops imaginable that cater to the swell trade. Here fancy butter, with the stamp of some famous farm, sells as high as \$1.75 per pound. The eggs, each in a compartment of a dainty paper box, are also stamped "strictly fresh" and retail for 50 cents per dozen. The cream and milk from these immaculate dairy shops are usually delivered at fashionable houses by a servant in livery.

Yvette Guilbert, whose advent has been the theatrical event of the week, is not a pretty woman. She is ugly, gaunt and slovenly in gait. She sings remarkably nasty songs in a Parisian accent no Yankee can understand, however much he may pretend to. I think the public will soon weary of this latest French freak. I saw her on Broadway a day or so since. She looks very like the caricatures of herself and would pass easily for a fin de siècle poster. Her eyes are knowing and her hair an extraordinary shade—a sort of delicate ginger. That miserable, wretched little beast, the dachshund, that waddled its way for some time into fashion's ranks, has a rival now in the Aberdeen terrier. The fashionable young woman now parades Fifth avenue of a morning leading the puny and hardy little Scotch dog, who seems an enemy in every other dog he meets, growling and snapping and carrying a chip on his shoulder. Fox terriers, French spaniels and pugs are not in it these days. In fashion, as elsewhere, every dog has his day.

The dean of Barnard college, the woman's annex of Columbia, is Miss Emily James Smith, the youngest woman to hold such a position in this country. Miss Smith is fair and girlish looking, with a most serious and intense manner. She was the second American girl to attend Girton college, in England. She is an enthusiastic bicyclist, believing it to be the ideal exercise for students; is not a suffragist, but admits that the ballot is coming to woman and earnestly desires she should intelligently prepare herself to wield it.

One sees droll things always in cable cars. I was greatly diverted a day or so since by a little episode in a Broadway car. A big, brawny fireman, in the picturesque scarlet lined blue coat of his order, stood patiently for a long time. At last he got a seat and dropped into it with a long drawn sigh of utter exhaustion, and in a moment was fast asleep, dreaming, perhaps, of last night's fire, when he battled with smoke and flame. His arm rested on the window sill, and his helplessly swaying head dangled a pair of coarse buckskin gloves. Next him sat Miss Manhattan, gorgeous to behold. Her gown was smart, so was her hat, and, lo, the hair of her was frizzed like sixty! She sat stiff, haughty, with a well bred, lady-like expression round the mouth. Suddenly the fireman lurched a little, his hand dropped, and the buckskin gloves flapped against her exclusive back hair. That bright dream was his last. He awoke with a start, to meet a look before which a Numidian lion would have quailed and shivered. The poor fellow was so terrified that, stammering an awkward apology, he rose and went out on the front platform to cool his burning brow. Myself, I heartily wished he had knocked her bonnet off.</



## CHURCH AND PEOPLE.

### Echoes of Christmas and Closing Year.

### Valuable Presents to Clergy at St. John's Christmas Tree.

### Christmas Concert of Universalists One of Best Ever Given.

The attendance at the Memorial Congregational church, Atlantic, was very large at both morning and evening services. The pastor, Mr. Norton, preached strong and effective sermons at both services on the closing of the year. The choir with Mrs. Coe as organist rendered several pleasing selections.

The Wollaston Baptist church was never decorated so prettily for the Christmas season as it is this year. Preston Gurney gave another Christmas sermon, Sunday, his text being taken from Luke, 2:10.

Rev. Mr. Breed took a seasonable text for a brief, strong talk Sunday evening. He emphasized the one essential fact of a necessity of finishing work begun. As this year is finished, one naturally asks, how many of plans laid out during the past year, were completed? How many things were taken up, and soon dropped? Too well finish a work, a plan must be first formed, then it should be completed, finished. He alluded to the last words of Jesus at close of his life. "It is finished." "I have done the work thou gavest me to do." The short sermon furnished with a fruitful theme for the full congregation that listened to it. The music especially arranged, was fine. The view of the decorations from the entrance of the church showed with what artistic care they were up, as two horizontal strips of evergreen at the altar entrance, gave an impression of perspective, distance that was unusual and the evergreen festooned to the rafters lent an air to the interior that was restful and yet inspiring.

The Rev. E. C. Butler of the First church spoke before a crowded house at the Wollaston Unitarian vesper services on Sunday afternoon. The congregation was not made up wholly of Unitarians as prominent members of the Congregational, Baptist and Methodist societies were noticed among the large audience. Mr. Butler read his scripture lesson from the eleventh chapter of Hebrews.

He based his theme upon an incident happening between the Christian Knights and Isaladin in Scott's novel of the Talamas. He spoke upon the Old and the New Man, the man of the medieval ages and the man of modern times, showing how, step by step, he had ceased to rule the world by mere brute force to the present dominion of intellect. Modern civilization has not taken place fortuitously, but in a definite manner, and under the control of natural law; that the intellectual development of the human race does not move forward like a dream, without reason or order, but that there is a predetermined, a solemn march, in which all must join, ever moving, ever resistlessly advancing, encountering and enduring an inevitable succession of events; that individual life and its advancement through successive stages is the model of social life and its secular variations.

#### St. John's Tree.

The children and teachers of St. John's Sunday school, with their parents and friends, were present in good numbers at Hancock hall last evening. Rev. F. A. Friguglietti, Rev. John P. Coffe, and the director of the Sunday school, Rev. Francis A. Cunningham, were also present, and as later developments demonstrated, the presence of Mrs. Francis and Cunningham was much desired, as they were to be the recipients of many tokens of love and affection from those in their charge before the close of the evening's entertainment. Another person who attracted a deal of attention was a tall, fine-looking gentleman of middle life, who sat in the rear of hall, known to all by fame, and to but few personally. This gentleman was none other than Samuel A. Kitson, the noted sculptor, and those who did know him wondered at his presence last evening. But the events of the evening told the tale.

The entertainment opened with a chorus from Norma by the Sunday school choir, and the young misses pleased the audience by their fine execution.

Miss Olive Smith gave a comic solo, entitled "Jennie and Joe," in which she portrayed the troubles usually besetting a "spooney" couple.

Then came the Reileys in "Fun in a Fog," with its rich, mellow brogue, wealth of anecdote and character, and the attempt on the part of both characters to get as far as possible from the truth in enumerating their respective possessions.

Miss O'Connor gave a fine solo. Miss O'Connor is a sweet singer, with a full, mellow voice, and her appearance before any gathering is always a pleasure.

The young girls of the Sunday school were next heard in a chorus.

Miss Olive Smith again pleased the audience with a recitation, and on an encore gave "Reilly and I."

At this point there was a lull in the proceedings, which was broken by Master Samuel Donovan stepping to the front of

the platform, and in behalf of his teachers and fellow-scholars presenting in a neat speech to Rev. F. A. Friguglietti a bust of the venerable Archbishop Williams of Boston of heroic size, by Samuel A. Kitson. The young man's words moved the audience, and as Rev. Fr. Francis came from the rear of the hall toward the stage the audience arose en masse and applauded.

Fr. Francis was moved by the thoughtfulness and affection on the part of the Sunday School, and thanked the donors for their very acceptable gift. Those who have had the pleasure of seeing the Archbishop recently pronounce the bust a most faithful likeness, and Mr. Kitson was publicly congratulated on his success.

Hardly had the applause which greeted the recipient's thanks subsided, when Master Michael Duffy, in feeling words, presented the director of the Sunday School, Rev. Francis A. Cunningham, with a most beautiful chalice.

Fr. Cunningham was dumbfounded for an instant, but regaining his self-possession, accepted the gift in words of warm praise for his teachers and scholars.

Before he had time to reach the shelter of the stage wing, Master James Haley of the Boys' Sodality presented him with a silver crucifix. The reverend gentleman responded, and was surprised a third time by Miss Annie Roche presenting him on behalf of the Girls' sodality with a beautiful set of Brevaries. The feelings that had been fomenting through these surprises culminated in this last gift, and Fr. Cunningham, from a heart overflowing with love and gratitude, thanked one and all for their very appropriate gifts.

The chalice is of exquisite design, hand-wrought and of solid gold. The stem is studded with six large amethysts and at the base is a cross of California diamonds. The inscription on the rim of the base reads: "To Rev. Francis A. Cunningham from the Sunday School Teachers and Children, Christmas, 1895."

The crucifix is of silver of chaste design, and reads: "Rev. F. A. Cunningham from the Boys' Sodality, Christmas, 1895."

The Brevaries from the young ladies are handsomely bound, with cover title in gold and printed in red and black. Fr. Cunningham received many congratulations from the audience, all recognizing that though the presents came from the Sunday school, still they were but evidence of the esteem in which he is held by the whole parish. His years of faithful service have borne good fruit, and the expression of last evening were but his just reward.

The entertainment closed with "Jingle Bells" by the boys, and then Santa Claus appeared and distributed choice oxes of candy.

The teachers of the Sunday school were presented by Fr. Cunningham with portraits of himself at the close of the evening.

Miss Margaret Garrity, the organist of St. John's church, conducted the musical portion of the entertainment.

#### The Baptist Festival.

The Calvary Baptist church held its Christmas festival at Dobie's hall Dec. 27th. The interior of the hall was very prettily decorated for the occasion with hemlock boughs and two large trees occupied the platform. Suspended in the centre was a large star and these words: "Our classes for Christ and the church."

The entertainment consisted of vocal and instrumental music, readings and an exercise by eleven little misses under the direction of Mrs. Lloyd Jones.

Then came the distribution of presents among those present.

#### Universalist Church.

One of the finest Sunday school concerts ever given in the Universalist church was enjoyed by a large audience Sunday evening. A new Christmas exercise prepared by S. W. Straub, entitled "The Glorious Birthday," was carried through in a very creditable manner by the superintendent, choir and school. There was an unusually large amount of singing, and the choir under its excellent chorister, Herbert F. Nye, did nobly.

The remarks of the pastor, at the close of the exercises were both appropriate and pleasing, and the gathering returned to their homes much pleased with what they had seen and heard; and with a feeling that the evening had been well spent.

The programme:

Organ Voluntary.  
Hymn, "Joy to the World," By the Choir.  
Prayer, Rev. A. E. White.  
Chant, 23d Psalm, Choir.  
Recitation, "Christmas Day," Lilly Wilson.  
Responsive Reading.

Superintendent and School.  
Song, "Salvation," School.  
Recitation, "The Vision of Heaven," Florence Newcomb.

Scripture Reading.  
Superintendent and Addie Holton.  
Chorus, "Chant it Now," School.  
Song, "Glory to God," Choir.  
Recitation, "At Bethlehem," Bertha Newcomb.

Responsive Reading.  
Superintendent and School.  
Chorus, "Beautiful Guiding Star," Choir.  
Recitation, "The Magi's Tribute," George Wilson.

Responsive Reading.  
Superintendent and School.  
Song, "Little Town of Bethlehem," School.

Recitations and Chorus.  
Miss Hobart's Class.  
Song, "Why Should I Happy Be?" School.

Recitations.  
Miss Cain's class.  
Song, "The Words of Jesus," Choir.  
Recitations, Miss Barnes' class.

Reading, Miss Brown.  
Remarks, Pastor.  
Coronation, Choir and audience.  
Benediction, Pastor.

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#### Granite a Stumbling Stone.

Quincy granite figures in the Atwood-Peabody libel case now on in Boston and the following catechism is reported by the Record, Mr. A. B. Davis, the superintendent of construction being on the stand:

"What do you understand by block granite?"

"Granite cut out in square blocks by stone cutters with drills and other tools."

"How many sides has a piece of block granite?"

"Four."

This answer caused many smiles to be exchanged in the court room, which the unmathematical witness could not understand.

Witness further described under examination, the several kinds of stone used for foundations.

Witness further testified that the cellar was filled and graded by Woodbury & Leighton for \$1400.

The court then took a recess of 10 minutes.

After recess Samuel Roberts, a contractor testified that he furnished part of the stone for the interior wall of the cellar, and sold it to Woodbury & Leighton.

Witness testified that the exterior was built of Quincy rubble. The top course of the wall was of block granite.

Witness averred that the price at Quincy was \$2.50 per perch for rough stone. Block granite at that time cost \$4.50 to \$5 delivered.

By Mr. McLaughlin—"What was the average size of the blocks in the wall?"

"About 15 inches."

"How do you define block granite?"

"It must be of three dimensions, the length, the rise and the width. In the Boston markets it is supposed to be 18 inches rise."

This witness also testified that a piece of block granite had four faces.

"Might it not have only two faces?" asked Mr. McLaughlin.

"No."

Witness did not agree with Davis in saying that block granite must be cut out by hand.

"What is grout?"

"Grout is stone that is blown out by powder blasts."

By Storey—"How is block granite made?"

McLaughlin—"I pray your honor's judgment."

Judge Gaskill—"I think that question has been answered."

#### An Over-Heated Stove.

It was in the vicinity of 2.30 A. M. Monday when officer Bradley, while walking along Granite street meditating to himself that the lot of a policeman was not a happy one, discovered that a fire was in progress in the vicinity of Centre street.

He started for the fire with an alertness of a true born policeman and in a short space of time reached the scene and found the fire to be in a partly completed house off Centre street which was being built by Carpenter Swanson.

The officer rushed to the nearest box and at 2.55 the fire alarm bells were sounding an alarm from Box 138.

The fire department responded with its usual promptness and upon its arrival found a very brisk fire that at first looked bad for the house. There was a hydrant near at hand and the firemen soon had the satisfaction of having the fire under control.

The fire was caused by a stove, that was being used to dry out the plastering, getting too hot and setting fire to the wood work. The loss will not exceed \$450.

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## MR. GILL'S SUCCESSOR

### City Treasurer Burgin Elected Treasurer of Savings Bank.

### A Sketch of the Bank and the New Treasurer.

### Wise and Careful Management Put Bank Among the Best.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Quincy Savings Bank last evening Mr. Clarence Burgin, the City Treasurer of Quincy was elected treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the death of George L. Gill.



#### The New Treasurer.

A change in the office of treasurer of the Quincy Savings bank has not occurred since this institution and the National Granite bank became separate. In 1868 Mr. George L. Gill became an assistant to Cashier Horace B. Spear, and upon the separation in 1871 he became treasurer of the Savings bank and removed it to its present location. For a generation Mr. Gill faithfully conducted the institution and its growth has been almost phenomenal, the 2175 depositors in 1871 having increased to 7288 at the last report, and the amount of deposits from \$677,394.29 in 1871 to \$2,022,627.62 Dec. 1. This grand achievement is due largely to the careful administration of the late treasurer, under whose directions the investments have largely been made. The depositors have had the greatest confidence in him, and the bank has been extremely fortunate in the periodical financial panics. The following summary will be of interest:

|                     |              |              |
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| 1845,               | 1,203        | \$245,194.44 |
| 1846,               | 1,656        | 399,751.00   |
| 1847,               | 1,559        | 387,142.25   |
| 1848,               | 2,175        | 677,394.29   |
| 1849,               | 3,432        | 1,210,945.47 |
| 1850,               | 3,344        | 1,025,029.83 |
| 1851,               | 4,406        | 1,144,39.66  |
| 1852,               | 5,773        | 1,528,055.59 |
| 1853,               | 7,145        | 1,853,887.96 |
| 1854 (Nov 30) 7,288 | 2,022,627.62 |              |

#### Presidents and Treasurers.

The offices of president and treasurer have been filled by the following gentlemen who have all been prominent citizens of Quincy. The presidents:

|                    |           |
|--------------------|-----------|
| Thomas Greenleaf,  | 1845—1856 |
| Josiah Brigham,    | 1856—1867 |
| Daniel Baxter,     | 1867—1871 |
| Edward Turner,     | 1871—1878 |
| Israel W. Munroe,  | 1878—1879 |
| Charles Marsh,     | 1879—1886 |
| Horace B. Spear,   | 1886—1889 |
| Rupert F. Claffin, | 1889      |

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| Israel W. Munroe, | 1845—1855 |
| John C. Randall,  | 1855—1868 |
| Horace B. Spear,  | 1868—1871 |
| George L. Gill,   | 1871—1895 |
| Clarence Burgin,  | 1896      |

During the trusteeship of Mr. Munroe the bank was at his store, now occupied by Sanborn & Damon in the PATRIOT building. Under Mr. Randall and Mr. Spear it was in the old banking rooms of the Quincy Stone Bank now occupied by Dr. Gilbert. In 1871 it was separated from the National bank and removed to rooms fitted up for it in its present quarters.

The bank is fortunate in having met with no losses from loans or investments, which is largely due to the fact that loans are made only on the best security. They are today well placed and strongly secured. Deposit book No. 1 is still open, as are many of those taken out in the early days of the institution.

Miss Hattie L. Burrell, a niece of the late treasurer has been his faithful and obliging assistant since 1879, and is acknowledged to be one of the best penmen and accountants in the city. Miss Mildred Estes recently entered the bank, and is a valuable assistant.

For twelve years Mr. Burgin has been a resident of Quincy and his career among us has been a brilliant one, a series of advancements in positions of trust. In January, 1884, he came to Quincy and entered the employ of the granite firm of Frederick & Field as bookkeeper and draughtsman. Five years later he formed a partnership with Mr. R. D. Gordon of this city and entered into the wholesale and retail jewelry business in Boston, which partnership still continues. During the vacations of Mr. Spear from 1892 to 1894 Mr. Burgin acted as cashier of the National Mount Wollaston bank, and conducted the affairs very satisfactorily. He has always shown an interest in matters of finance, and it was largely through his management that the Quincy Quarry Company and the Lyons Granite Company were successfully estab-

lished. In August, 1894, he was appointed City Treasurer to succeed the late Bryant N. Adams and was reappointed by Mayor Hodges this year, and fills the office at the present time. The city finances were never more ably handled, or the business transacted with such promptness and system, as under Treasurer Burgin, and what is the Savings Bank's gain will be the city's loss. Mr. Burgin is also a director of the National Granite bank, treasurer and director of the Lyons Granite Company, director of the Quincy Quarry Company, a member of Rural lodge, F. & A. M.; St. Stephen's chapter, R. A. M.; South Shore commandery, K. T., and other organizations. He is also prominent in the new movement to organize a Board of Trade in this city, which promises to be successful and a boon to Quincy.

Mr. Burgin was born Oct. 27, 1865, in Rutland, Vt., his parents being Mr. Thomas and Mrs. Jane (Scudder) Burgin, both from London, England. In 1870 the family moved to Springfield, Mass., where Clarence was educated and graduated from the high school. In the evening drawing schools he acquired a good knowledge of that art, and later in the employ of Charles Sidney, the architect and civil engineer; with John Lyman Faxon, the architect, and with Frederick & Field of Quincy, he became an expert draughtsman.

The PATRIOT congratulates the Quincy Savings Bank upon the choice, and Mr. Burgin upon his continued success.

#### The Police Force of Quincy.

QUINCY, Dec. 28, 1895.

To the Editors of the Patriot:

DEAR SIR:—It is a great pity that a man like Mr. Henry H. Faxon, who has in the past done good work in securing the enforcement of the liquor laws should ever so often be subject to fits of delivering himself of the most blind and unreasoning abuse of anybody and everybody connected in any way with the machinery of the law. First it is the lawyers, then it is the judges, last year it was the present Mayor, and now it is the police.

Some people believe in Mr. Faxon for what he has accomplished in his younger days. Others who don't know him, see and read his periodical effusions, and having no knowledge to the contrary believe that Quincy is a disorderly place, a hot-bed of corruption and a paradise for rum-sellers. In this way he injures the cause of temperance and gives the reputation of Quincy as a law-abiding city, a black-eye; whereas the facts are that Quincy is an orderly city, extremely free from disturbances of all kinds, for one having so large a class of foreign labor, as can be testified to by any person going about amongst them.

There have been comparatively few arrests made this year, for the violation of the liquor laws, for the very good reason that there has been very little if any evidence that the law was being violated. In all cases where there has been a suspicion based upon any tangible evidence of such a violation, prompt arrests have been made, and convictions have followed in every instance but one. This state of things is largely owing to the fact that the liquor laws in Quincy were strictly enforced last year, as well as several years prior.

Mr. Faxon's own statement verifies this when he says in his interviews published in the papers, that he had a private detective located in Quincy during a part of the summer, engaged solely for the purpose of securing evidence against liquor sellers, who reported to him that it was impossible for a stranger to buy a glass of liquor in the town.

The trouble with Mr. Faxon aside from his desire to get himself into the newspapers and stir things up, is he expects more than the law allows; the law does not yet prohibit drinking liquor, and we can't make arrests founded simply on vague rumors without evidence that liquor is sold.

The police force of Quincy is composed of an honest, courteous and pains-taking body of men, doing their duty conscientiously, but without vindictiveness against any person or class of persons and the attack of Mr. Faxon charging them with dishonesty and incompetency, is cowardly and uncalled for in view of the facts, and is ill-befitting a man of Mr. Faxon's standing. Mr. Faxon well knows that under our city charter the Mayor is at the head of our department of police, and that any just complaint against myself or the men would be immediately investigated either by the executive or the council at the election of Mr. Faxon. The police department courts the fullest public investigation of itself. If Mr. Faxon has further to say, let him bring his charges before the Mayor or the council; I do not care to further discuss the matter through the newspapers.

JOSEPH H. HAYDEN,  
Chief of Police of Quincy.

#### The Saturday Shoot.

At the Wollaston Trap Club's shoot on Saturday afternoon Mr. A. A. Lincoln was tied for high man with Cole of the Dedham Trap Club, each scoring 18 birds. The score:

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|----------------|----------------------------|
| Whitmarsh,     | 01101011011010011101111—17 |
| Cole,          | 011111111000110011111—18   |
| Bates,         | 11111000110111011011000—15 |
| D. B. Lincoln, | 01101101101100110111011—17 |
| A. A. Lincoln, | 11110000110111011101110—18 |
| Merrill,       | 00000000000000000000000—4  |
| Baker,         | 01000001110110110001010—11 |

#### Advertised Letters.

At Quincy post office, Monday, Dec. 30: Palmer Abbott, George W. Brackett, B. P. Connelly, Henry Marshall, Henry Marshall, James Mullan, Robert McLaughlin, Robert Murphy, F. B. Roach, J. B. Rossi, Mgr. Hall Robertson, Dr. John Richmond.  
Mrs. W. Drake, Mrs. Goodwin, Miss Jonsson.

## BRAINTREE EXCITED

### Mr. Long Forbids Use of Long Hall for a Dance.

### But It Was the Armory of Co. K and They Had Something to Say.

### Capt. Morrison Takes Forceful Possession and Holds the Fort.

Another of those enjoyable six to ten dances was held at Long's hall, Braintree, Saturday evening, and the unexpected excitement of dancing in a fortified citadel was huge fun.

It seems there is a conflict between Co. K, who have their armory here, and Mr. Long as to who should receive pay for the use of the hall by outsiders. Friday morning Mr. Long notified a member of the six-to-ten committee that unless he received pay for the use of the hall for the previous occasions before 9 A. M. Saturday, the party would be refused admission to the hall.

Capt. Morrison of Co. K was consulted by the dancers and he told them that he had given them the right to use the hall and he should see that they had it, and that they should be protected.

Early in the afternoon Mr. Harry L. Patten and Mr. William S. Osborne, the managers of the dance, arrived on the scene, and soon after the fun commenced. Mr. Long, as agent of the property ordered the young men out, and they reluctantly obeyed.

Mr. Long had with him several of his men from the shoe shop, and also Constable Mischler, and when the coast was clear he proceeded to nail up the entrance door.

Private Frank E. Woodworth notified Capt. Morrison of the situation, and he appeared on the scene about 4 o'clock. Approaching the building he saw that all the windows in the hall were opened, as though an attempt was being made to make the place uninhabitable.

Capt. Morrison ordered Private Woodworth to break open the door and he obeyed with a soldier's promptness. Naturally Agent Long was boiling with wrath, and with the assistance of his engineer, Mr. Elmer Holbrook, the door was again barricaded. This time by the use of a pair of tongs, and Constable Mischler was placed in charge.

Not to be baffled Capt. Morrison ordered the company, using the telephone to summon the men. When they responded, which was in some cases but a few minutes, they were ordered into their uniforms.

Then Mr. Long and his men were ordered out, and not retiring voluntarily they were put out by force, not however, until Capt. Morrison had shown Mr. Long his permit from Col. Bancroft and Adj. Ballard, for the rental of the hall. Mr. Long offered resistance but he had to go, also Engineer Holbrook, the constable and others.

Lieut. W. H. Whitney with a squad of men was then placed at the door to prevent the admittance of outsiders, and the crowd of spectators cheered the soldier boys.

Mr. Long went off and it seems he was after the sheriff. He also consulted Lawyer McNarney at Quincy, and an attempt was made to get Judge Humphrey to issue a warrant, but he declined to act hastily, and decided to summons the interested parties to his office on Monday.

At the hall it was discovered that the heat had been turned off, the light disconnected, etc. Connection was secured however with the electric light, and it being a comfortable night dancers did not need artificial heat, so all was in readiness for the dance at the advertised time, and the militia remained on duty to see that the party was not disturbed.

#### The Law.

Section 5 of Chapter 465 provides: "Armories provided for the militia, under the provisions of chapter 384 of the acts of the year 1888, shall not be used except by the active militia of this Commonwealth, and they shall not be loaned or let to anyone except for a proper military purpose, and then only when application is approved by the Commander-in-Chief and intermediate commanders."

The town pays rent to Mr. Long to the amount of \$400, also \$100 for heat and light.

Mr. Long and also the Selectmen were notified of the new law some three months ago. The company had permission from Col. Bancroft of the fifth regiment to let the hall. But the section quoted says the armories shall not be used by outsiders and shall not be loaned or let, so that Co. K may be exceeding its authority.

#### In Court Monday.

A hearing was held before Judge Humphrey in the district court on Monday, to see whether a warrant should be issued against Capt. W. E. Morrison of Co. K, for disturbing the peace. The hearing was held in the Judge's room and reporters excluded.

Hon. Asa French appeared for Capt. Morrison and the town of Braintree, and J. W. McNarney, Esq., for Mr. Long. No evidence was taken in relation to disturbing the peace but the statements of Capt. Morrison, the chairman of the Board of Selectmen of Braintree, and Mr. Long were heard.

The court refused to issue a warrant on Monday but took the matter under advisement.

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John Adams.  
President of United States, 1797-1801.

John Adams was born in Braintree, now Quincy, Oct. 19, 1735, in the most northerly of the two old mansions on Franklin street, owned by his father, and now in possession of his descendants, and was graduated at Harvard College in 1755. On leaving college, he taught school in Worcester, where he also studied law in the office of Col. James Putnam. He began the practice of his profession in Braintree about the year 1758, at the age of twenty-three years. The first writ issued by Mr. Adams was on an action of trespass for a rescue. This gave him considerable uneasiness, as he was apprehensive that it was defective, which it proved to be, as it was abated. He soon after removed to Boston, where he became eminent in his profession, and was appointed Chief Justice of the Supreme Court; he was chosen one of the delegates to the first Continental Congress in 1774.

Mr. Adams was married to Abigail Smith, daughter of the Rev. William Smith, of Weymouth. By this marriage he became allied to a numerous and highly-respectable family connection, which greatly assisted him in his professional business.

In 1778, Congress selected him as one of the Commissioners to France; Feb. 13, he sailed in the frigate Boston, with his son John Q. Adams, then ten years of age, and arrived at Bordeaux, France, April 8. Owing to some misadventures of Mr. Silas Dean, the commissioners were placed in an embarrassed position; so much so, that Mr. Adams concluded to take no part with them, and returned home after an absence of seventeen months.

On his arrival home he was selected by the town of Braintree as delegate to attend a convention for the formation of a State Government, where he took an active and important part; but he was soon called away from the convention to attend to the duty of a commissioner to negotiate a treaty of peace with Great Britain, and for some years he was the American Ambassador to the Court of St. James.

Mr. Adams was chosen in 1789 the first Vice President of the United States and at the expiration of Washington's term of office, as President Mr. Adams was chosen to succeed him in this high and important position. After his term of office expired he retired to his residence in Quincy. In 1800, he was selected by the citizens of his native town, as a delegate, to the State Convention that assembled to amend the State Constitution. The remaining portion of his long life was spent in literary labors, and holding correspondence with the most eminent statesmen of that period. He, with his co-patriot, Thomas Jefferson, expired on their country's birthday, the 4th of July, 1826. Mr. Adams' age at the time of his death was ninety-one years.

## The Mayor's Grandfather.



CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS,  
United States Minister to England During the Civil War.

Charles Francis Adams, third son of President John Q. Adams, was born in Boston in 1807, and a large part of his youthful education was obtained abroad, while his father was Minister to Foreign Courts. He was graduated at Harvard University in 1825; after graduating he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1828.

Mr. Adams represented the city of Boston five years in the State Legislature, three years in the Senate, and two in the House; he also was editor of the "Boston Whig." In 1848 he was a candidate for Vice President on the ticket with Martin Van Buren.

In 1858 Mr. Adams was elected to represent the third Massachusetts Congressional District in Congress. In 1860 he was again re-elected. Mr. Adams did not serve out this term, as he was appointed by President Lincoln, Minister to England, where he sustained the high reputation his grandfather and father had established as a diplomatist. Mr. Adams remained at the Court of St. James until succeeded by Reverdy Johnson, in 1868.

Under the treaty with Great Britain signed May 8th, 1871, which treaty stipulates that a board of arbitrators shall be appointed by the respective governments to meet at Geneva, Switzerland, to settle the Alabama Claims, Mr. Adams was appointed by the United States, to serve on this commission.

In 1872 he was spoken of as a Presidential candidate, but in a letter to David A. Wells he said he did not want the nomination, but if the good people really believe they need such an anomalous being as I am they must express it in a manner to convince me of it. He was not nominated at the regular convention but was nominated for Vice President at a convention held in Louisville, Ky., Sept. 3, 1872 by the strict party Democrats but was defeated.

The same year he was also a candidate for Governor of Massachusetts but was defeated by Gov. Rice.

Mr. Adams has been quite extensively engaged in the field of literature, having edited the Revolutionary correspondence of his grandfather and grandmother, which was published in 1841; he has had published ten volumes of the works of Mr. John Adams, of which he was editor. These were published in 1856. He in later life edited and published twelve volumes of the works of John Q. Adams. In 1864, Harvard College conferred the honorary degree of LL. D. upon him.

From the 70s on until his death, Nov. 21, 1886, he lived in retirement, the summer months being passed in Quincy and the winter months in Boston.

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HON. CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS, 2d,  
Mayor of Quincy, 1896.

Our new Mayor, Hon. Charles Francis Adams, 2d, embodies the full intellectual power and force of character that has distinguished the Adams family for the four preceding generations. A Boston paper said a few years ago:—"We have no reigning family in America, but it may be questioned whether many reigning families in Europe have kept up to the Adams' standard of ability for successive generations." It is said that genius is seldom transmitted, and in a comprehensive sense of the term the Adamases are not geniuses. But they have shown that intellectual activity, a capacity for achievement and sterling common sense, are transmissible for successive generations."

Our Mayor is in his 30th year. He is the son of the late John Quincy Adams, and was born in Quincy, August 2d, 1866. He was fitted for Harvard at Hopkinton's school, entering college in 1884, and graduating with the class of 1888. He was president of his class, and prominent in the clubs. During his sophomore and junior years he was coach of his class crew, and in 1890 was coach of the varsity crew when Harvard beat Yale so badly. He and his brother George, as "the Adams boys," have also been foremost among yachtsmen. They began racing in the Dandelion and the Cricket were their next. Then they struck out in bigger crafts and with the 36-footer Papoose, were very successful. During a yachting season in England they added experience, and they have since sailed the Gosson, Baboon, and Harpoon, and the past season won many prizes in the little cat, the Rooster.

In 1891, Mr. Adams was graduated from the Harvard Law School with distinction, when he studied with Judge Bumpus, and has taken up law as a profession. He entered the City Council in 1893, and has since been one of its active members, the past year as Chairman of the Finance Committee. He is an Independent Democrat in politics, and although the city gave Governor Greenhalge a majority of over eight hundred, Mr. Adams was elected Mayor on a Democratic and Citizens' ticket by a good majority over the Republican candidate. Success to Mayor Adams.

## An Aptitude for Governing.

Our new Mayor is a noted yachtsman, and the success which has attended him on the water should be his at City Hall, for in the words of Jonson

"Each petty hand  
Can steer a ship becalm'd; but he that will  
Govern and carry her to her ends, must know  
His tides, his currents, how to shift her sails;  
What she will bear in foul, what in fair weathers;  
Where her springs are, her leaks and how to stop them;  
What strands, what shelves, what rocks do threaten her;  
The forces and the ratures of all winds,  
Gusts, storms and tempests; when her keel ploughs hell,  
And deck knocks heaven, then to manage her  
Becomes the name and office of a pilot."

## The Mayor's Great Grandfather.



J. Q. Adams

President of United States, 1825-1829.

John Quincy Adams, the sixth President of the United States was born in the north precinct of Braintree, now the city of Quincy, July 11, 1767, in the southerly of the two old houses now standing on Franklin street. He was graduated from Harvard in 1787, and practiced law in Newburyport and Boston. In 1794 he was United States minister to the Netherlands. In 1796 Minister Plenipotentiary to the court of Portugal, and later to court at Berlin. In 1801 he was nominated as Representative to Congress but lacked 59 votes of an election. In 1803 he was chosen to the Senate of the United States, serving until 1809. In 1805 he was professor of rhetoric and oratory at Harvard. In 1809 Minister Plenipotentiary to St. Petersburg. In 1814 he was one of the commissioners to treat for peace with Great Britain, which was signed at Ghent that year. In 1817 he was appointed by President Monroe, Secretary of State, and ably fulfilled the duties through both terms of Mr. Monroe's administration.

On the expiration of President Monroe's term of office, Mr. John Quincy Adams was chosen by the House of Representatives, President of the United States. After the expiration of his term in 1829, he retired to his home.

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### EIGHT PAGES.

QUINCY, SATURDAY, JAN. 11, 1896.

#### Bridge Hearing.

The County Commissioners gave a hearing Thursday on the widening of the bridge over the N. Y. & H. R. R. near the Atlantic depot.

The city was represented by Mayor Adams, ex-Mayor Hodges, City Solicitor Blackman, Commissioner Eaton, and H. T. Whitman. There were also present: John R. Graham, Benjamin F. Curtis, B. J. Weeks, H. H. Faxon, John F. Merrill and others, while the N. Y. & H. R. R. was represented by A. H. Maxwell, Esq.

As soon as the hearing opened City Solicitor Blackman moved to view the premises and a special car was taken for that point.

A plan made by Frederick Endicott, civil engineer for the County Commissioners was presented. This plan widened the bridge to 64 feet with a truss through the center, which would give the road ways each about 25 feet wide and the sidewalks six feet wide. The plan also proposes to raise the grade on the bridge about six inches.

The original plan made the width 58 feet and the estimated cost was \$30,000, and it is thought the 64 feet width will cost \$40,000 more than the cost.

City Solicitor Blackman said, in view of the change from the original, the city was not prepared to say whether they would advocate or oppose the 64 feet bridge and he asked for a continuance that it might be considered.

Mr. Maxwell also desired a continuance for the same reason.

The Commissioners then adjourned the hearing until Saturday, Jan. 18, at 10 o'clock at Delham.

#### The Food Fair.

The two days' food fair of the Ladies' Aid society had a very successful opening Wednesday evening at the Universalist church, it being attended by a goodly number.

Around the vestry, where the fair was held, were arranged numerous tables for soups and other articles of food, which met with a ready sale. They were in charge of the following ladies:

Soup—Mrs. J. A. Litchfield.  
Sandwiches—Mrs. Price Hardwick.  
Mush and hygienic coffee—Mrs. Winslow Burrell.

Cake—Mrs. J. W. Lombard.  
Candy, Mrs. Richard Newcomb.  
Griddle cake, Mrs. Houston.  
Tea and coffee, Mrs. J. H. Wales, Miss Chapman, Miss Eaton, Miss Houston, Miss Peaslee, Mrs. A. G. Merrill, Art Gallery, Miss Swift.

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Each tableau was accompanied by a song or chorus, and as the curtain was raised a red light was thrown upon the scene, making it more effective. Those who contributed the musical selections for the tableaux were: Miss Fletcher, Mr. Herbert Morton and Mr. Albert Prouty.

At the close of the entertainment many of the articles unsold were disposed of at auction.

#### Pleasant Trip Anticipated.

Next week George W. Prescott leaves for Florida, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Edith. Mr. Prescott is a delegate to the eleventh annual convention of the National Editorial Association, which meets at St. Augustine, Florida, Jan. 21, 22, 23 and 24th.

Delegates are expected from every state in the union. Some have already started from the far West. The Florida people are doing everything in their power to make this convention one of the pleasantest the association has ever held.

All the railroads in Florida have tendered unlimited transportation, and the editors and their ladies will be taken to all the principal points of interest in the State. The citizens of the towns through which the delegates pass have arranged many pleasant entertainments for their northern visitors, and probably another such opportunity to visit the land of flowers in mid-winter, may never again be accorded the members.

#### Serious Runaway.

There was a serious runaway accident on Street Thursday afternoon about 4 o'clock. Edwin Jones and George Stevens were engaged in moving chairs from the depot to the new Calvary Baptist church in an open wagon.

When near the residence of Dr. Sheehan the horse became frightened and ran away. When near the Catholic church the team struck the curb and threw both of the men out. Both struck heavily, so much so that Mr. Jones' leg was broken and Mr. Stevens was cut badly about the face. The injured men were taken into the residence of Dr. Sheehan where medical aid was summoned.

After throwing the two men out the horse continued across the street, when another team was struck and somewhat smashed. The horse then cleared himself and ran as far as Pastor's drug store where he was captured. Quite a number of the chairs were smashed.

#### Grocers' Banquet.

It is a week of banquets for Quincy gentlemen, and a goodly number of the grocers of this city are attending the annual meeting of the Old Colony Grocers' Association, held Wednesday evening at the United States Hotel, Boston.

Among those from Quincy present were: Osborne Rogers, Robert Johnson, Joseph Johnson, James O'Donovan, Walter Wilson, John W. Nash, Dr. J. M. Cutting, James Merrill, George H. Wilson, Charles Brooks, John Mason, W. H. Callahan, T. J. Lamb, Arthur H. Doble, George Prout, Joseph P. Prout.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—Andrew McNeil of Hingham.

First Vice President—John A. Connell of East Weymouth.

Second Vice President—Osborne Rogers of Quincy.

Secretary—M. L. Lynch of East Weymouth.

Treasurer—Joseph Sampson of Braintree.

Executive Committee—Fred Humphrey of Hingham; George A. Cliff of Weymouth; F. S. Chase of Rockland; Arthur Parker of Abington, and the newly elected President.

## CITY BRIEFS.

Slights are out.

A patient was this week issued to George Main of South Quincy.

The street railway employees announce a grand ball for Jan. 24 at Braintree.

Things are running as smoothly at City Hall this week as though there was not a new Mayor.

Coldest weather of the season; ten below zero Monday morning and one below zero Tuesday morning.

For the present Mayor Adams has established his office hours at City Hall from 4 to 10 p. m.

Judge Pratt was on the bench at the District Court Monday, Judge Humphrey being on the sick list.

The time for filing names for candidates for the Quincy Yacht Club expires on the 15th inst.

Mayor Adams is one of the executive committee of the so-called Anti-Double-Taxation League.

C. C. Hearn, the druggist, has added a set of raton chairs to his office fixtures for use of patrons of the electric.

Box 26 was tested Wednesday and found to be all right, and had it been pulled rightly Tuesday night, it would have worked.

There is considerable complaint from the outlying wards because at the winter term of the High School the sessions open so early.

The directors of the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Co. and Quincy Savings bank have passed resolutions on the death of George L. Gill.

The cars of the Quincy & Boston street railway are being equipped with electric headlights, which are fastened permanently to the dashers.

Flory Gould and Charles Waterhouse, two of the employees of the street railway are having a race. If you want to know what about just ask them.

Sorry to learn that Mr. William H. Fay, Secretary of the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is quite sick. He has congestion of the brain, and Dr. Gilbert is attending him.

The directors of the Association of the Alumni of the Quincy High school are encouraged with the outlook for the coming year, which promises to be well attended.

Owing to the cold weather Saturday evening, but a few members of the Grand Army Association were present at the hall, but those who did brave the elements had a good time.

It was too cold to go to school Monday especially for many high school pupils who must travel a long distance. Three of those who went from their cars and another his foot.

The annual ball of the West QuinCY I. O. O. F. will be held Jan. 20. The committee are: Noble Grand T. W. Good, E. Frank Mitchell, Charles L. Hammond, C. M. Jenness, Charles H. Boston, Henry L. Kincaide and H. O. Souter.

George W. Pennington, formerly of Quincy, has been appointed second assistant to Clerk Sleeper of the Massachusetts House of Representatives. His many friends hope to see him clerk some day for he has the qualifications.

A reception to the "prospective" Daughters of the Revolution, in Quincy, to be given the latter part of January by Miss Annie L. Prescott, at her home on Spear street.

Is the Quincy club responsible for the first at the residence of Judge Bumpus? When the club gave its minstrel show for the hospital, his house was set on fire by lightning and again when the club assembled for its banquet the house took fire.

John P. Pritchard, formerly Commissioner of Public Works in Quincy, and recently Superintendent of Streets at Medford, was this week elected Superintendent of Streets in the large city of Somerville. He held the same position twelve years ago.

Dr. A. H. Gilson was elected vice president of the annual reunion of the former school boys of Boston this week. Five years ago the doctor presented the school with a flag, which did service until last spring. It was among the first school boys to fly a flag when the agitation was started.

Mr. Timothy J. Callahan, a well-known young man of this city, and recently in the employ of the Boston Tool Co., as foreman, has gone to St. Louis for the benefit of his health. His many friends in Quincy hope to see him back again with his health regained.

The Massachusetts Benefit Life Association, of which George A. Litchfield of Wollaston is president, has issued an artistic two leaf calendar. The Longfellow house at Cambridge and a portrait of the poet adorn the first page, and during the last six months of the year people will gaze upon Lowell and the Lowell house.

The Massachusetts Benefit is flourishing, and has a cash surplus of over one million dollars.

The following board of directors were elected at the annual meeting of the Mt. Wollaston National Bank: Charles A. Howland, Walter T. Babcock, Horace B. Spear, A. B. Packard, George L. Miller, Herbert F. Doble, Fred L. Badger, Fred B. Rice, George H. Field. The directors organized with Charles A. Howland as president.

The officers of Francis L. Southern camp 27, S. V., were publicly installed Tuesday evening at Grand Army hall, the ceremonies being witnessed by a large number of the friends of members, as well as several of the comrades of Paul Rogers Post, 28, G. A. R. After the installation ceremonies there were brief remarks by the installing officer and his officers. A collation was also served.

In its war records of Dec. 23, the Brockton Enterprise gave a sketch of Alonzo Augustus Nightingale born in Quincy in 1842. He entered the service in April 1861, as private in Co. H, 4th regiment infantry. He re-enlisted twice and was a sergeant when discharged June 16, 1865. Comrades at the front were Lewis G. Macintyre, Corp. Loring N. Hayden, Sergt. Nathaniel Wales. Mr. Nightingale died in North Bridgewater in 1880.

Sad news of the death of their mother, Mrs. Georgianna Goy, in Egremont, Berkshire, England, has come to Mrs. Anthony Keith and Mrs. Walter S. Randall. Mrs. Goy died here a number of years and will be pleasantly remembered by many friends both in the Episcopal church and outside of it. Fairly strong-headed, she has just died, leaving loving hearts this side the water to mourn her loss. She had reached nearly three score and ten years.

The Quincy Yacht Club's annual meeting closes on February 1st this year. All bills paid and a goodly number of the club's financial statement. There is probably not a yacht club on the coast that pays its bills more promptly than this organization. As an illustration it is said that the day after the club's last annual open regatta, the treasurer had mailed checks to every prize winner. This was such an unusual proceeding that even Capt. "Bill" Daly of the famous Cuban wrote a very flattering letter to the club expressing his satisfaction and thanking him for his prize money so soon after the event.

COLD WEATHER. Last Monday morning was the coldest in Quincy for many years. The thermometer was from 10 to 20 degrees below zero. Many thermometers ranged from 10 to 12, but some went several degrees lower; and at the Butler house, where Rev. Mr. Wilson resides, it was 20 below. There was no snow on the street last Monday, but has fallen two or three days since, and now there are some eight inches or more.

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## WOLLASTON.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. H. S. Coates, Beale street.

The New Year's rally held by the Epworth League on Sunday evening, January 5, brought out a very large attendance, and an interesting and profitable meeting was enjoyed.

Rev. J. H. Macauland, D. D., will preach to the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday evening, January 12, at 7 o'clock. This will be his third quarterly visit as Presiding Elder for the current Conference year. The third Quarterly Conference will be held at the close of the preaching service.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Simmons of Wollaston were among those present at the seventh annual ball of the A. S. Shuman & Co. Mutual Benefit Association of Boston, which proved a brilliant event. Mr. Simmons is the treasurer of the large clothing house and also of the association, and is highly respected by the firm and its 500 employees. On this occasion he was also chairman of the reception committee, and much of the unbounded enjoyment was due to his efficient management.

Mr. William C. Seelye, an esteemed resident of Wollaston and a prominent Republican, is favorably mentioned in connection with the office of Commissioner of Public Works.

The Gleasons "King's Daughters" of Wollaston will meet at Mrs. W. M. Wright's, Lincoln avenue, Monday, Jan. 13, at 2.30 p. m. Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Cummings and Mrs. Owen sang a duet and several selections were sung by the choir. In the evening the minister carried further his talk of the morning. Communion was administered at the close of the meeting.

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JONATHAN COBB, Judge.

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## ATLANTIC.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Coe of Billings street are spending a few days in Portland, Me.

Mr. Charles Huse, of Walker street, is to move his family to Boston for the balance of the winter.

Walter Clare, who has been sick for some time, is improving and will soon be able to go out again.

There has been a great deal of sickness in Atlantic de la. Several young people have been sick with diphtheria.

George Coleman, who has been very sick with scarlet fever, has greatly improved although his hearing has been impaired during his sickness.

Frozen water pipes at Mr. Frank Jenkins' house during the recent cold weather, burst, and the water did considerable damage by spilling the plastering.

The prayer meetings held at the Memorial Congregational church, Atlantic, in observance of the week of prayer, have been very well attended and have proved very enjoyable.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Memorial Congregational church met with Mrs. Theodore Parker last Wednesday afternoon. They are arranging a sale to take place the second Wednesday in March. Committees to have charge of this sale were chosen.

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Merry Mount Lodge, I. O. G. T., held an open meeting Thursday evening, which was quite largely attended and interesting.

Chief Templar, M. C. Holmes, presided, and there were addresses on temperance by Mr. O. C. Colton, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., Willard O. Wiley, Grand Chief Templar and W. L. Hathaway, Grand Councilor.

There was also an interesting entertainment consisting of vocal solos by Mrs. M. C. Holmes and others, piano solo by Mrs. Lawton, duet by Misses Walker and Smith, reading by Mr. Weston and fancy dancing by little Miss Mischler.

The depot platform and waiting shed on the easterly side of the tracks at the Quincy Adams depot has been entirely removed and replaced with a gravel walk.

Mrs. Jerusha Keating, who died in Waltham on Monday, was one of the first women of the Episcopal Congregational church, and for a number of years a member of the choir. But few can remember when services were held in the Town Hall. Committal services were held at the grave in the old Hancock cemetery on Wednesday by Rev. E. N. Hardy, the present pastor.

The Calvary Baptist church will hold the opening services of their new chapel on Franklin street on Sunday, All are cordially invited and strangers desiring of a church home will find one whose aim is to do as their Master did.

It was 12 below zero at Brewer's corner at 6 o'clock Monday morning and 10 below at L. M. Pratt & Co.'s store at South Quincy at 7 o'clock.

Arthur Steer of Rodman street, left Friday for a few weeks' visit to Watertown, Conn.

An express train passing through South Quincy Friday, Jan. 3, caught one of the street railway rails that is laid between the tracks wrenched it up and threw it some distance tearing off the step of one of the cars and also tearing a hole in the depot platform.

Sunday was a holiday in the Calvary Baptist Church will hold their meetings in Doble's hall. The Friday prayer meeting and choir practice on Saturday evening of this week will be in the new chapel on Franklin street at 7.30 o'clock. On Sunday the chapel will be opened and services will be held in the morning, afternoon and evening, at 10.30, 3 and 7.

McDonnell & Sons have sent the PATRIMONY a large artistic calendar emblematic of the artistic memorial work which they do in granite. A large cross with angel in relief is the central figure.

A new business block is being erected on Water street near the junction of Quincy street.

St. John's Society Elect.

Tuesday evening the St. John's C. L. & A. A. elected these officers:

President—George A. Cahill.  
First Vice President—John F. Foley.  
Recording Secretary—William O'Donovan.  
Financial Secretary—Thomas F. Hogan.  
Corresponding Secretary—Michael J. O'Hara.

Treasurer—Martin J. Garrity.  
Librarian—William A. Kingstear.  
Assistant Librarian—James Canfield.  
Chairman Dramatic—John P. Mundy.

Superintendent—Andrew Mischler.  
Auditors—O. Geo. F. Ferguson, James O'Donovan and M. T. Sullivan.

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## NEW CITY GOVERNMENT.

Hon. C. F. Adams, 2d, Takes Oath of Office as Mayor of Quincy.



Inaugural Address Delivered at Noon Monday at City Hall.

City Council Organizes with C. M. Bryant as President and C. A. Spear as Clerk.

Seldom, if ever, was there a larger attendance at an inauguration of a City Government of Quincy than that of Monday, every available seat being occupied and many being obliged to stand, while in the gallery were many ladies. Hon. Charles Francis Adams, an uncle of the Mayor, was an interested spectator to the ceremonies.

Promptly at 12 o'clock Mayor Hodges, Mayor-elect Adams and City Clerk Keith took seats on the president's platform. City Clerk Keith administered the oath of office to Mayor Adams.

A roll call of the Council was then taken all members being present. The oath of office was administered to them by City Clerk Keith.

An alphabetical list as they appear on the roll call with year of service appears below:

| NAMES.                 | YEAR.   |
|------------------------|---------|
| Anderson, Luther S.,   | Third.  |
| Badger, Frank E.,      | Second. |
| Barker, Herbert S.,    | Second. |
| Bryant, Charles M.,    | Fourth. |
| Clafin, Rupert F.,     | First.  |
| Cleaves, Edgar G.,     | First.  |
| Field, John Q. A.,     | First.  |
| Geary, Michael E.,     | Second. |
| Hayden, Edgar F.,      | Second. |
| Holt, Isaac M.,        | Second. |
| Lamb, Thomas J.,       | Third.  |
| Little, Stephen B.,    | First.  |
| Murray, John C.,       | First.  |
| Nickerson, Nathan G.,  | Second. |
| Parker, Theodore,      | Second. |
| Phillips, Hiram W.,    | Second. |
| Pinkham, Walter S.,    | Second. |
| Rice, Fred B.,         | Second. |
| Rideout, Warren H.,    | First.  |
| Rinn Louis,            | Fourth. |
| Russell, John,         | Second. |
| Sidelinger, George A., | Second. |
| Sprague, Eugene H.,    | Second. |

The City Clerk then introduced Mayor Adams, who delivered his inaugural address, which occupied some 15 minutes.

It is printed in full below with some additions and changes since printed in the DAILY LEDGER, which were made just before delivery:

GENTLEMEN OF THE COUNCIL:—It is a pretty custom which allows the Mayor to bid you all welcome on the first of the year, and to express a hope that the new year will see substantial improvements in the condition of our city, and the prosperity of our citizens; and to give his own pledge that he will serve the city honestly, faithfully, and with equal care for the interests of every locality and every man. It is also proper to take note now of the questions which must come before us during the year, and to review the condition of our finances, in order that we may determine wisely how best to meet the requirements of the city with the limited means at our disposal.

Personally, however, I could wish that it was the custom for the retiring Mayor to give advice from the fullness of his experience, and that my time for offering suggestions could be postponed till greater experience in administration brought more mature judgment.

### FINANCIAL.

The financial condition of the city does not materially alter from year to year, and we are still confronted with underlying conditions which necessitate a policy of strict economy. We realize with pleasure that our general debt has been reduced some \$46,000 during the year, but we should not forget that this happy result has been to some degree accomplished by postponing heavy expenditures which must now be undertaken. This year the construction of two new school houses is imperative, and with other public improvements which are most urgent the city will probably be compelled to borrow not less than \$80,000. On the other hand, some \$50,000 will mature and be paid. We must, therefore, anticipate an increase of about \$30,000 in our general debt. Such a prospect need not cause serious apprehension as the debt will even then be well within the legal limit; nor would it cause uneasiness if that were the only financial burden our citizens had to face.

Both our large water debt, and our prospective sewer debt, though not included in the debt on which the law has set a general limit, must for some years to come add materially to the burden of general taxation. In the last year the water debt has increased \$20,000. For the extension of mains and other work, \$45,000 has been expended; \$25,000 has matured and been paid. In a sense this department is self-sustaining, since the revenue received is more than sufficient to pay the expenses of maintenance, yet for some years to come a considerable part of the maturing debt must be paid by general taxation. This year that amount was approximately \$25,000. What it will be in the future must depend largely on the principle on which water rates are assessed. It would be some hardship, no doubt, if rates were put so high that the present water-takers were called on to pay all the expense resulting from the acquisition of a plant and supply which belongs to the city, and must ultimately benefit every citizen; yet with the natural increase of revenue we can look forward confidently to the time when without injustice the general tax-payer will be relieved of this burden. For some years to come, however, we must raise by taxation a part of the maturing water debt.

The city, moreover, will probably begin this year the construction of a sewer. It would seem proper that the debt so incurred should be assumed by the city, and paid, as it matures, in part by an assess-

ment of betterments on the lands directly benefited, in part by the city as a whole. When we remember that these two elements, and a playground debt of \$48,000, should be added to the direct burden of our general debt; and remember further that the total burden of all our municipal debts, amounting now to nearly \$1,000,000, and soon to be largely increased, falls in one way or another on a community which is neither very large nor very rich, and a community so situated and constituted that its current expenses must of necessity be large, it is plain that the situation demands great care and conservatism. If we spend unwisely the burden of taxation will bear heavily on all and tend to drive away such industries and individuals as can afford to move; yet unless we spend wisely in improvements our city will fall behind others in the march of progress, and will lose the very basis of prosperity. Each year we should provide not only that the condition of our streets and our public property be fairly maintained, and that our schools and institutions keep pace with our growth; but, moreover, we should do our share toward such lasting improvements as are necessary in order that our city may keep pace with the growth of the country about us; always, however, bearing in mind that our ambition must be measured by our means. We lack no element necessary to a future of great prosperity. If we move wisely and prudently; if every man does his full duty to our city, to its government, and to its industries, we may look forward with confidence to that future.

Let us glance here at the financial result of the year.

| GENERAL DEBT.                                                                                                    |              |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| General debt, January 1, 1895                                                                                    | \$311,091.00 |
| Minus amount paid 1895                                                                                           | 52,451.00    |
| Plus amount added, 1895                                                                                          | \$258,440.00 |
| Net debt January 1, 1895                                                                                         | \$264,895.61 |
| A decrease of \$46,196, or 15 per cent. in the last year, and \$74,835 since December 30, 1893.                  |              |
| WATER DEBT.                                                                                                      |              |
| Water debt, January 1, 1895                                                                                      | \$705,000    |
| Minus amount paid 1895                                                                                           | 25,000       |
| Plus amount added 1895                                                                                           | \$680,000    |
| Net debt January 1, 1895                                                                                         | \$725,000    |
| An increase of \$20,000 or 2.8 per cent. in the last year, as against a decrease of \$10,000 the preceding year. |              |
| PLAYGROUND DEBT.                                                                                                 |              |
| Play ground debt, January 1, 1895                                                                                | \$49,000     |
| Minus amount paid, 1895                                                                                          | 1,000        |
| Net debt January 1, 1895                                                                                         | \$48,000     |

For current expenses we may raise either \$12 per \$1000 of the assessors' valuation of the last year less abatements, or a like amount on the average valuation of the three preceding years. By the first method our limit this year is \$207,864, by the second \$203,124. I see no reason why the current expenses of the coming year should exceed those of the past except by as much as is necessary to represent the natural growth of the city. It will not be very difficult then to keep within the legal limit just stated. I doubt however whether any of the appropriations of the past year can be reduced without injuring the effectiveness of the public service, and the possibility of improvement lies in an increase of that effectiveness rather than in a reduction of cost.

SCHOOL HOUSES.

The necessity of two new school houses is recognized, and needs no new presentation. It is to be hoped that this year no disagreement will prevent the accomplishment of a work which has become a public economy, as well as an absolute necessity. I may perhaps be excused from reviving the well-worn arguments as to the best material for these school-houses. Enough to say that in my opinion true economy demands the use of brick. Were it otherwise a brick building is so far superior in safety, utility, and dignity, as to justify a somewhat greater cost.

I trust the Council in taking this matter up will not without further investigation be satisfied that the plans submitted last year are the best to be had. It will be wise to allow further competition at least, and it is a grave question whether it is not better to directly employ the best architect to be had. The best opinions I have been able to consult all indicate that architects of high standing do not enter these competitions, and that experience proves that better results are usually obtained by working out the problems to be overcome in consultation with an architect of wide experience, and tried ability, rather than to accept the chance shot of one of half a dozen inexperienced men. Nor should we overlook the advantage of having the supervision and advice of an experienced architect during the work of construction. The ultimate cost for plans is obviously the same in either case, unless we include the possibility of loss through the work of one inexperienced man.

WATER SUPPLY.

Now that the city has definitely decided to enter the Metropolitan Water System, it becomes necessary to determine how we

can avoid the danger of a lack of water during the next three years. As to the best mode of securing a further supply I am not as yet able to make any recommendation. It is possible, however, that by enforcing such regulations as will prevent any improper, or wasteful, use of water, the necessity of securing a further supply may be avoided either permanently, or until we are better able to determine what course is best to pursue. Though it is really beyond the Mayor's province I would suggest that those who use water for lawns and gardens and such other uses, as may be called luxurious in distinction to necessary domestic uses, ought to pay the expense which such use brings upon the city; and if it should appear that the cost of securing a new source of supply could be saved by limiting for a time all unnecessary uses, it would be less hardship to do so than to call on the city as a whole to assume a burden for the benefit of a comparatively small class.

### STREETS.

The requirements of our streets and side-walks present, as usual, perplexing problems. The difficulty of a proper maintenance of our system on the comparatively small appropriation available is well understood. There are many permanent improvements which are much needed. Hancock street, our main thoroughfare needs to be re-located, widened in places and rebuilt. Adams street has equal claim for a small appropriation to finish what has already been done. The widening of Coddington street would do much to develop a large section. Much else could be suggested, but in view of the unusually heavy expenses necessary this year in other directions it is perhaps not wise to undertake anything not absolutely urgent. On the whole the condition of Copeland street seems most to justify and demand immediate attention. The heavy teaming which passes over this road makes its condition serious, and the remedy difficult and expensive. Nothing short of a paved surface can long stand the wear, and for this reason it would be false economy to patch the present road, or build one of ordinary construction. For a similar reason if the matter is taken up at all I trust it will be considered in a broad way and that such changes of location and grade will be made as the probable future needs of the street and locality seem to require. The cost of paving and curbing the whole street would alone amount to about \$26,000, and if on careful consideration the burden of the whole work seems too great for one year, I trust at least a part of this important work will be undertaken in the near future.

### SEWERAGE.

During the past year legislation has been secured, a commission appointed, and some preliminary work done toward securing the adoption of a sewerage system. The need of pushing forward this work requires no argument. So far as the general plan is concerned the function of the city government is limited to passing on plans which of necessity are prepared by experts, but in the matter of determining the best and most equitable method of meeting the cost of construction a more direct and equally heavy responsibility rests upon us. Since a sewer will add to the prosperity and value of the city as a whole perhaps more than any other public improvement which we could today undertake, it is but just that a considerable proportion of the cost should be assumed absolutely by the city and ultimately paid through the medium of the general tax levy. The remaining cost must be assessed as a betterment on those lands which are specially improved in value by the sewer, due care being taken to make the terms of payment as little burdensome as possible. Their principles are recognized in our enabling Act, but we must still act with care for if too great a proportion is assumed by the city an injustice is done to the owners of personal property to which no benefit accrues, and to those whose real estate is so remote as not to be directly benefited. On the other hand an equal injustice would result if the present abutters alone were called on to assume the burden of a work which with future extensions will bring a direct benefit to every piece of land in our city. The exact proportion in which this division of cost should justly be made, and the most equitable and practicable method of assessing the betterments, are questions to which I wish to give further study before making any more definite recommendations.

### STREET LIGHTING.

There has been much just complaint for years past of the quality of our street lights. If the city can secure legislation under which we can construct an electric lighting plant for strictly municipal purposes, without purchasing the plant of the Quincy Electric Light and Power Co., the Council would do well to carefully investigate whether cheaper and better service could not be secured by the construction of a municipal lighting plant. While I do not as a rule believe that it is wise for a city to undertake such work, yet in this

case it seems probable that facts will be found which will justify such action.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

I would suggest that in order to avoid the danger and unsightliness which has resulted in other cities from the great multiplication of electric wires, that the Council not only adopt the principle of not allowing more than one set of poles in any street, but further will see to it that as far as possible all dangerous wires be buried. This method is being adopted, and must prevail, in all cities of considerable size. We will save much difficulty and expense in the future by securing its early adoption here.

The Auditor has already advised certain changes designed to secure a more perfect system of accounting, and in consultation with the City Treasurer has prepared an ordinance to carry into execution these ideas. This I shall shortly submit to you with whatever recommendations I have to offer.

There will be a hearing on January 9th before the County Commissioners as to the widening of the bridge over the Old Colony location at Atlantic. Unless otherwise instructed I shall deem it my duty to urge a decree ordering that this work be undertaken at once.

A bill is now before the Legislature authorizing the Metropolitan Park Commission to construct a boulevard from the Neponset Bridge through Atlantic to Squantum and thence along the shore of Quincy Bay through Merrymount Park, up the course of Furnace Brook to the Blue Hills Reservation in West Quincy. The inestimable importance of this work to our city as a whole cannot fail to strike every citizen, and it seems a public duty to do all that is possible to secure the passage of this bill.

The City Hospital is asking for legislation to enable the city to give more than \$1000 each year to its support. If successful the city ought to be willing to do something more for an institution which may well be ranked as a blessing to all, and especially to those whose limited means would prevent their receiving proper care were it not for the Hospital.

One word more let me say. We all want to see Quincy well governed and prosperous. We all vaguely feel that it is a duty to take a personal interest in the affairs of the city. No one realizes more keenly than I that an administration can only really prosper and benefit the city if it enlists the support and personal interest and advice of representative men of all industries and occupations, and from all sections. Realizing this, it will always be a pleasure to give all information in my power to any who may seek it, and I shall welcome all suggestions and information honestly given. Gentlemen of Council, I trust our relations will be intimate and friendly, and I believe that they will be so, for differences can be but momentary when our one motive is to secure the welfare of our city.

### Organization of the Council.

On the vote for President of the Council Charles M. Bryant was unanimously elected having received 22 votes. Mr. Bryant voted for Mr. Nickerson.



President Bryant thanked the members for the confidence. He realized the responsibility and would try and merit the thanks of all.

Christopher A. Spear was unanimously elected Clerk of the Council, and also Clerk of Committees.

John O. Hall was reelected City Auditor by a unanimous vote, and Harry W. Tirrell City Messenger.

Upon motion of Councilman Anderson, the election of two trustees of the Hospital and a manager of Woodward fund were deferred until the next meeting.

Upon motion of Councilman Lamb it was voted that the old members who desired should retain their seats. This Councilmen Geary, Russell, Nickerson, Barker, Parker, Sprague, Hayden, Lamb and Rinn did. The drawing of seats resulted as follows:

Rinn, 1; Clafin, 2; Phillips, 3; Sprague, 4; Parker, 5; Cleaves, 6; Field, 7; Ander-



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son, 8; Rideout, 9; Murray, 10; Russell, 11; Holt, 12; Sidelinger, 13; Lamb, 14; Hayden, 15; Little, 16; Barker, 17; Rice, 18; Pinkham, 19; Badger, 20; Geary, 21; Nickerson, 22.

Councilman Pinkham offered an amendment to the rules of the Council increasing the number of members, on the Finance Committee to 7 members and the Committee on Public Buildings to 5. This was referred to a special committee consisting of Councilmen Bryant, Pinkham, Rice, Clafin and Nickerson.

Councilman Nickerson offered an order that the Treasurer be authorized to borrow \$100,000 in anticipation of taxes. This was referred to a special committee consisting of Councilmen Nickerson, Rice and Clafin.

Upon motion of Councilman Pinkham it was voted that when the Council adjourn it be until Monday, Jan. 13.

Adjourned at 12:55.

### President Bryant.

Has been prominent in the City Council for the past two years and was also an active member in 1891 and 1892. With the exception of Councilman Rinn, who has served the same years, none of the new Council have given more years to the city. Whatever the subject before the Council, he has been well informed and has entered into the discussions. As chairman of the Committee on Streets, perhaps the most laborious of the Council, he has not shirked his duties, and the reports generally were adopted.

Mr. Bryant was born in Lowell, Nov. 29, 1857. When fifteen years of age his parents moved to Bridgewater and he attended the Bridgewater academy and later Chauncey Hall school, Boston. He then entered the paper business and is now treasurer of the A. Storrs & Bement Co. of Boston, a prosperous corporation.

The Councilman drives a natty turnout, and is fond of polo, golf, bowling and other sports. He married in 1881 and resides on Fenno street in Ward Five.

### Quincy Club Officers.

The Quincy club held its second annual meeting Monday evening and elected these officers:

President,—John H. Bent.  
Vice Presidents,—Ivers M. Lowe, John Q. Cudworth, Warren Edwards.  
Secretary,—Arthur W. Loud.  
Treasurer,—William S. Osborne.  
Assistant Treasurer,—W. R. Thomas.  
Directors,—Arthur W. Ryder, Robert B. Graham, James Milne, John H. Bent, Arthur W. Loud, William S. Osborne.

After the election of officers a collation was served by Caterer Nash.

Three applicants were elected to membership and one application was received. The club is in a very prosperous condition and should it continue to grow as rapidly in the future as in the past not many years will have elapsed before Quincy will have a club to be proud of.

### W. C. T. U. Annual.

The W. C. T. Union held its annual meeting January 2, 1896, when the following named persons were elected officers for ensuing year:

President,—Mrs. A. A. Harlow.  
Vice Presidents,—Mrs. Henry Barker and Mrs. Charles L. Pierce.  
Secretary,—Mrs. Charles A. Spear.  
Treasurer,—Miss Lucretia A. Pierce.  
Committee on Literature,—Mrs. Henry Barker, Mrs. Charles A. Spear.

This union desires a large membership that it may insure a large no-license vote forever in this our granite city.

### Advertised Letters.

At Quincy postoffice, Monday, Jan. 6: Daniel Boyde, John Bemish, Master Fred Dunn, Geo. Files, George W. Spear, Pau Srauwoy Wojciech.

Miss Gen Evans, Miss Edith A. Hemingway, Miss Katie Horgan, Miss Inceborg Johanson, Wilhelm Fra Johanson, Mrs. Abbie N. Kent, Mrs. Margaret Lennihan, Misses Manning, Mrs. Josiah Reed, Miss Rosa Rossi.

At Wollaston post office, Monday Jan. 6: Miss E. L. Bacote, Mrs. Albert Dorian, Miss Edna Foley, Miss M. Elsie Finlayson, Mrs. Etta Harding, Miss Cora Johnson, Miss Lida Kelley, Mr. H. V. Lewis, Frank Maguire, Geo. W. Nelson, Esq., Eleanor M. Pierce, Mr. A. Purdy, Mrs. Maria F. Roach, Mrs. R. N. Sampson, Mrs. Ella H. Stratton.



# THE NAUGURAL BANQUET MONDAY EVENING A HAPPY OCCASION.

No Republicans or Democrats There But Citizens Interested in the City and Its New Mayor, Hon. C. F. Adams, 2d.



EX-MAYOR PORTER.



REPRESENTATIVE NEWCOMB.



EX-MAYOR FAIRBANKS.

Not since the first inauguration in the city of Quincy has such good fellowship prevailed as is now characterized. Hon. Charles F. Adams, 2d, has been installed as Mayor of our city for 1896, and it was shown at the complimentary banquet on Monday evening that he has the encouragement of our best citizens, our business men, our influential and prominent citizens.

From 7.30 to 8.30 there was a very social hour, Mayor Adams and President Bryant of the Council dividing the congratulations, while everybody was in good spirits, and grasped the hand of his fellow citizen with a warmth which was pleasant to see.

About 8.30 seats were taken in Faxon hall, the tables being arranged as in the diagram below, the head table on the Canal street front. It will be seen that there were no spare plates.

An excellent banquet was served by Blunt, the menu being as follows:

Roast Turkey, Roast Chicken, Fillet of Beef and Mushrooms, Escalloped Oysters, Lobster Salad, Chicken Salad, Chicken Croquettes and Peas, Apple Fritters, Mashed Potatoes, Olives, CREAM, Vanilla, Strawberry, Chocolate, Sherbet, Bisque Glace, Frozen Pudding, CAKE, Almond, Citron, Lady, Currant, Maccaroons, Cocoanuts, Nuts and Raisins, Oranges and Bananas, Tea and Coffee.

Post prandial speeches followed; W. G. A. Pattee, Esq., the chairman of the Water Commissioners, being the toastmaster.

W. G. A. Pattee, Esq., The presiding officer in opening the post prandial exercises said: We come here regardless of party affiliations to pay our respect to one who has been selected to occupy the office of the chief executive of this city. He has taken the oath to fulfill the duties and how much greater they are than they were at the time of incorporation of the town of Quincy in 1792. At that time it was a board of Assessors. They found a population of less than 1000 and a tax of £15, 17s. They had few roads to care for. They had no system of water works or sewerage. Their cares were very small compared with the present time. Our great growth and large population was not thought of. They would have looked at our tax levy with amazement. How will it be 100 years hence. We now have a population of 20,000 and a valuation of \$16,000,000. Large number of miles of streets, large water works and in the near future a sewer system; in fact the interests of a large growing city are placed on the shoulders of the executive. We are apt to condemn the Mayor for slight acts of omission, but do let us aid the Mayor in every way we can; not find fault, but try and encourage him. We are all striving for good government and we should aid and assist our Mayor in every possible way. We should try to prevent corruption from entering our municipal affairs. Quincy has been free from this in the past and let us form a solid phalanx against corruption, stamp it out in the beginning. And now, Mr. Mayor, the citizens look to you to carefully fulfill the duties of Mayor and you will follow the noble example set before you by your ancestors.

Mayor Adams

Was greeted with applause long continued and three cheers. He said he wished he could adequately express thanks for the kindly greeting. He never hoped to hold office for the mere sake of holding it, but because of the example of his ancestors who for 150 years had been interested in the town he did have an ambition to serve the city well. I have done my best in the past and shall endeavor to honestly and carefully fulfill my duties. It was pleasant to see Republican friends and Democratic brothers assembled.

Quincy was destined to grow and prosper, and all citizens should endeavor to advance its prosperity. How and what can we do? A city is like a man, it is judged as it shows ability. As we citizens work for the city it will grow. It remains with us to make Quincy, not the city government. There were two lines of development. One to increase our industries; another to make it attractive for those who live here and work elsewhere. It is useless to discuss the benefits of the industries here. We have them and now we want more, for development and improvement. We must also make it more attractive as a residential city. There was now a bill in the Legislature for a boulevard along the banks of the Neponset river, Quincy bay and up the Furnace brook valley to the Blue Hills reservation. It would be of great benefit in attracting people to live in Quincy. The Metropolitan district has done much on the north of Boston, and our Representatives should work for this boulevard.

It would be better for our capital to invest at home than in the West. Quincy would be better off had it done so in the past, and so would many of us. If no personal gain it would be doing our duty, and we would not suffer. A Board of Trade had been suggested, but that also depended on us; the spirit of the men behind it. He hoped it would be taken up enthusiastically. We should develop city

patriotism, which had made many noble cities. Quincy was not a mere suburb but should have civic pride, and the time would come when Quincy would take high rank among cities of the State—[Applause.]

Ex-Mayor Charles H. Porter Said it was pleasant for him to be here to congratulate the citizens of no mean city on the selection they have made for Mayor. He has served you well and faithfully and has reached the honor bestowed upon him by the attention of whatever came to him to do. He can well refer to the motto on the wall—"What I do I will do well." We can in truth say, whatever he does he will do well. Good government is something to be proud of and when he was Mayor he found no man so ready to assist him as the City Solicitor during those two years.

It is my fortune to still be in the harness of one of the important boards of the city, the School Committee, which expended \$82,000 of the money raised last year and this year it will ask for nearly \$85,000. We shall ask for two school-houses. We need them, and can fill them. Quincy has 3400 enrolled pupils and the first of May will see nearly 3,700, and the High School has 338. Waltham, a little larger than Quincy and a million and a quarter more wealth has 2700 school children and expends \$20,000 less than we, but the assessment per capita is less in Quincy than in Waltham and twenty other cities. I do not expect many to

read over the school report but there was no part of our government that came so near our homes as our schools, and I would like to have you read the report of our superintendent. I had but one thought in going from a town to a city government and that was to make the step so easy and agreeable that you would never know the difference, and see no breaks, which was done. I hope at the end of the year when again our honored citizen comes up for endorsement that he will be reelected for the office I am sure he will well fill. I wish him God speed and I will give him my best, purest and honest support.

Ex-Mayor Fairbanks Said: What truer greeting, can I tender to our honored guest, than to express the wish that I know is in the heart of every loyal citizen of Quincy, that the all-ruling Providence bless him with health and strength to carry forward the sacred trust he has today assumed. The cares, duties and responsibilities of the executive, rest upon him now. How shall I make my work a success in his mind tonight. True it is that our honored Mayor has the benefit of the experience of his predecessors, but they may be called only beacon lights along the course, for after all no one can sail exactly over the same course. New problems like new dangers will constantly occur, requiring new ideas and new treatment. "Make your ideal high, try to reach it and make that ideal real" are the

words of rich inspiration to a noble mind, who is imbued with a true desire to serve with success his city, his State or his country. Our poet Longfellow has well said—"The talent of success is nothing more than doing well. You can do well without a thought of fame,"—and that Mr. Mayor should be the ambition of every official who is to receive from your hands the honor of an appointment. Every office may be more or less important in one sense, and yet it is harmony of the whole system which will bring the merit of approval.

Mr. Mayor, the city is now standing on the threshold of a new year. A year full of importance to our growth and prosperity. The book of records is open to you, and may every page be written with credit and to our city's honor. Mr. Pattee regretted he could not introduce the third Mayor but he understood his physician advised him to stay at home.

Ex-Congressman Everett Felt obliged for the opportunity to say a few words and join in the congratulations we were so eager to express to our Mayor. It was only quite lately that he had informed himself of the close yoke of this old town with his family. He then traced the family of Adams, and continuing said, we are glad to have him for Mayor and we are proud of the work done by his ancestors for this town and for the nation. Dr. Everett then took the several Adams' in

turn and told what public positions they had held. From the very beginning of Mt. Wollaston you have had eight successive generations of Adams' called upon and rendering good service in answer to the call. It is not that our Mayor is a descendant of an Adams but that his great grandmother was a Brooks and my grandmother was a Brooks. The Brooks were always right, even when they were a minority of one. He claimed the Mayor as one of his own as he was under his training. He also claimed three of the councilmen as his boys. Luther Anderson, Walter S. Pinkham and Fred B. Rice, and they carry out fully the old saying "as a child is trained so they will grow." When other places beyond old Braintree need a chief magistrate they have to come to Quincy to get them. Where would Harvard College have been if it had not been for old Tutor Flint. If John Hancock of old Braintree had not been in the chair there would not have been any Declaration of Independence, and when Boston wants a good man for Mayor they come to Quincy for him. Turning to Mayor Adams, the speaker

said: They did not elect you for your name or connections, but for what they have seen of you as a man and they believe in you. In our city exceptional trust and authority are given to the Mayor. To that place you have been chosen as a man in whom they can trust. "To thine own self be true and it must follow thou cannot fail to be true to any man."

Representative Newcomb.

Who followed Dr. Everett, was tempted to accept the saying—A still tongue denotes a wise head. As I come to do honor to our Mayor it is a pleasure to me to meet my fellow citizens as citizens, not as Republicans or Democrats. Good to extend hearty words of congratulations. I believe when a man is elected or accepts office he is the servant of all the people. It is the only way to have good government. Boulevards have not come up in the Legislature yet, but I shall do the best I can when all matters of interest to Quincy are introduced. It was my privilege and honor to be an aid at the funeral of the Mayor's great grandfather. When I look over the long line of ancestors I find the same sterling integrity flows in the blood of our new Mayor.

President Bryant Said: This gathering will tend to bring about the purification of municipal politics. Every citizen of Quincy is like a stockholder in a corporation who is called upon annually to elect a board of directors. We have probably elected the youngest man as Mayor but he has the oldest head. You will never find him wanting in any place of trust you put him. He did not believe that any Mayor had the good will of a Council as our present Mayor. He believed that the Council would strive with him

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and give the city the very best government that Quincy had ever had since she became a city. There was a feeling among citizens that when anything was up for the benefit of the city that some one was looking to get something out of it, but what does it matter if they do if the whole city is to be benefited. Quincy should appoint a committee so that when the boulevard comes before the Legislature they can push it along. He hoped that when anything came up that was to be located here that everybody would put their shoulder to the wheel and work for it.

#### Councilman Clavin.

We all wish our new Mayor success in the office to which he has been chosen. We are gathered here on a purpose to say so. His path cannot be flowery—for there are difficulties in the way that will tax his resources to remove. He has the moral



I desire to congratulate His Honor, the Mayor, that he has been relieved of the arduous and frequently disagreeable task of selecting proper persons to fill important city offices, this work having been cheerfully performed for him by the friends of those who are eager for the official plum. I, too, have made a suggestion in this direction, but shall be delighted if the mayor can name a man better qualified for the position.

I have no doubt that the chief executive is aware of the difficulties which he will encounter in assuming his office. Any man can say "Dare to do right," but it requires a political hero to practice it.

Under our city charter the mayor is vested with unlimited power in making appointments. If all who have been proposed, were entrenched in office, it would necessitate the enlargement of City Hall to accommodate them, and, as a tax-payer, I should object to this additional burden. Therefore I sincerely hope that the mayor will exercise his prerogative in the selection of honest and capable officials without regard to party affiliations or political friendships.

My earnest desire is that this administration may be the most successful in the history of our municipality. This concluded the banquet.

#### The Best Place to Live.

Mr. Frank F. Prescott of DAILY LEDGER contributed to the Sunday Globe a symposium, and in a limited space told why Quincy was the best place to live in around Boston. Much more might have been said, but we understand he was limited to 300 words, and the field was well covered. The article is reproduced:

As a prominent citizen expressed himself the other day, it is a pleasure to live in a city where there is something solid and enduring. The Quincy granite largely used in monumental work, has brought our city into prominence, and our works of art are found all over the country. Quincy people, therefore, feel at home everywhere, for their good works have preceded them.



Our institutions and our men are as solid as the granite hills, and our churches multiply and flourish; our national, savings and co-operative banks prosper; our street railway system extends reaching into the remotest parts of the city and also into surrounding towns; and our daily paper, the only one in Norfolk county, now in its eighth volume, shows Quincy to be nearly a decade in advance of Brookline, Milton, Everett, Medford and such places. When Boston wants a good mayor it induces our citizens to take up their residence at the "hub" and three Josiah Faxon have presided over its destinies. And our public school teachers, because of their proficiency get many of the plums in Boston to the discomfort of some of her legislators.

A no-license majority for 14 consecutive years, backed by public sentiment and a rigid enforcement of the law, has accomplished much toward making Quincy the model city that it is, and the principle so thoroughly inculcated within us may never be overthrown. But the man with a family of small children selects Quincy for his residence because of her school advantages. Public schools unexcelled, supplemented by the Woodward institute for girls, the Adams academy for boys, the Thayer academy for both sexes, free evening schools and the educational classes of the Young Men's Christian association.

#### Henry H. Faxon, Esq.

Mr. Faxon said with all the flow of oratory they have not stole all my thunder. We have assembled on this auspicious occasion to rejoice over the fact that our Mayor was elected by a spontaneous uprising of the best citizens, irrespective of party.

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## FOR LITTLE FOLKS.

DRAWN BY NED.

The Old Mule's One Experience at Sledging Was All He Wanted.

One day last winter when the snow was hard the boys in our part of the town had a fine time coasting down a long hill. For a change they decided to capture Ned and make him draw them through the streets.

Ned was an old donkey owned by no one. He lived by picking up what stray bits he could find on the streets and sheltered himself in an old shed. After some hunting they found him taking his lunch from an ash barrel. They let him eat what he wanted so that he might be as good natured as possible. One boy ran home and brought some pieces of old rope. Then they made a rough kind of harness.

Ned was kind enough to stand still while they harnessed him. Then they fastened their sleds together, with Joe Brown's in front, for he was to drive.

Joe took up his cord reins and gave the word to Ned to "get up." The donkey only turned and looked back at the dozen or more sleds to which he was tied. I think he decided that the load was too much for him. Joe used a switch on him, but he hung his head and stood quite still. After waiting some time the boys grew tired and began to untie their sleds. Ned looked back and then made a sudden start. He trotted down the road at such a rate that the boys had quite a chase to get on.

Ned found it easier than he expected, or else he wanted to make up for lost time, for he drew them up one street and down another for a half hour. Then he began to slacken his pace, but Joe urged him on with his switch. Poor Ned thought there was to be no end to his task. An idea seemed to strike him suddenly, for he rushed down the street at a great rate.

On one side of the street was a deep ditch. When Ned came to it, he leaped across it, dragging the sleds at such an angle in such a way that they all tipped over, leaving the boys in the ditch.

Ned then started on with the empty sleds, making straight for his old shed. The boys found him there eating a whiff of straw. They took his harness off and hung it up in the shed. But that was the first and last time they used it, for Ned would never let them put it on again. To this day, if any one goes near him with a piece of rope, he will take to his heels.—Our Little Ones.

#### The Tardy Santa Claus.

I am a little Santa Claus  
Who somehow got belated;  
My reindeer didn't come in time,  
And so of course I waited.  
I found your chimney tightly fast,  
Your stockings put away,



I heard you talking of the gifts  
You had on Christmas day.  
So will you please to take me in  
And keep me till November?  
I'd rather start Thanksgiving day  
Than miss you next December!  
—Kate D. Wiggins in St. Nicholas.

#### A Lesson in Patience.

One of the happiest little boys I ever saw is a cripple and will never walk. His lower limbs are paralyzed, and the little fellow is wheeled round in a chair made for his special use. When I saw him, I thought how awful it must be for a 7-year-old boy not to be able to run and play like other children, and, without thinking, I asked: "Isn't it lovely here? Don't you wish you could run and jump?"

"Yes," said the little fellow. "I might like it, but I'm happy where I am, and perhaps I'd get hurt. Little boys do."

Then I felt rebuked, and the little boy, whistling and singing in his chair, playing with whatever is given to him, the minutes of the hours by which the days are told, like sunbeams, lighting and gladdening life's pathway, has been a lesson to me ever since I first saw him.—Washington Star.

#### New Kind of Spelling Book.

A new kind of spelling book is what the following game is called: One of the company begins the game by naming a letter of the alphabet, and the next must name another, which in connection with the first will help to make a word, but which will not complete it. The next adds another letter, and so on, each aiming to put in a letter which will not finish a word.

This goes on until some one inadvertently completes it. Then the unlucky one is compelled to pay a forfeit. To illustrate: The leader begins with i. The next adds m, the next a, another g, and the next, instead of adding e and completing the word, says i. The following one gives n, and the next, by a happy thought, does not give e, but says a, and then follow t, i, o and n, when the word has been completed, in spite of all.

#### Slight Mistake.

Ethel had formed the very unbecoming habit of saying "H'm?" when she did not quite understand, and her aunt had been teaching her to say "Beg pardon?" instead.

The following day she was overheard talking with some of her little playmates.

"My auntie says you mustn't say 'H'm,'" she explained. "You must say 'Baking powder.'" —Youth's Companion.

## GEMS IN VERSE.

#### A Flight From Glory.

Once from the parapet of gems and glow  
An angel said: "O God, the heart grows cold  
On these eternal battlements of gold,  
Where all is pure but cold as virgin snow.

"Here sobs are never heard, no salt tears flow;  
Here there is none to help, nor sick, nor old;  
No wrong to fight, no justice to uphold.  
Grant me thy leave to live man's life below."

"And then annihilation?" God replied.  
"Yes," said the angel, "even that dread price,  
For earthly tears are worth eternal night."  
"Then go," said God. The angel opened wide  
His dazzling wings, gazed back to heaven  
And plunged forever from the walls of light.  
—Lee Hamilton.

#### Marc Antony.

"Tis vain, Fontenai! As the half tamed steed,  
Scouting the desert, lashes madly out  
And strains and storms and struggles to be freed,  
Shaking his rattling harness all about,  
So, drier for restraint, here in my breast  
Hot passion rages, firing every thought.  
For what is honor, prudence, interest,  
To the wild strength of love? Oh, best of life,  
My joy, bliss, triumph, glory, my soul's wife,  
My Cleopatra, I desire thee so  
That all restraints to the wild winds I throw!  
Come what will, come life, come death, to me  
'Tis equal if again I look on thee.

Away, Fontenai! Tell her that I rage  
With madness for her. Nothing can assuage  
The strong desire, the torment, the fierce stress  
That whirls my thoughts round and inflames  
my brain.  
But her great ardent eyes—dark eyes that draw  
My being to them with a subtle law  
And an almost divine imperiousness.  
Tell her I do not live until I feel  
The thrill of her wild touch, that through each  
vein  
Electric shoots its lightning, and again  
Hear those low tones of hers, although they  
speak  
As by some serpent charm, my will away  
And wreck my manhood.

#### Oh, Octavia!

This lying galls me, and 'tis worse than vain  
Life is too short to waste in love's pretense,  
In the bleak shadow of indifference.  
And you—where are you but a smiling chain?  
I hate you that I cannot hate you more;  
Even hate for you is only cold and dull—  
Cold as your heart and dull as is your sense.  
Were you but savage, wicked to the core,  
Less proud, prouder, made to rule,  
I might have loved or hated more, but now  
Nothing on earth seems half so deadly chill  
As your insipid smile and placid brow,  
Your glacial goodness and proprieties.

Tell my dear serpent I must see her, fill  
My eyes with the glad light of her great eyes,  
Thou death, dishonor, anything you will,  
Stand in the way! Aye, by my soul, disgrace  
Is better in the sun of Egypt's face  
Than pomp or power in this detested place!  
Oh, for the wine my quench alone can pour  
From her rich nature! Let me starve no more  
On this weak tepid drink that never warms  
My lifeblood, but away with shams and forms!

Away with Rome! One hour in Egypt's eyes  
Is worth a score of Roman centuries.  
Away, Fontenai! Tell her till I see  
Those eyes I do not live; that Rome to me  
Is but a dream. I know not what I feel—  
That every thought and feeling, shape and spot,  
Is like an ugly dream where she is not,  
All persons, places, all things wearisome,  
All talking empty. All these feasts and  
friends.

These slaves and courtiers, princes, palaces;  
This Caesar, with his selfish aims and ends,  
His oily ways and sleek hypocrites;  
This Lepidus, and, worse than all by far,  
This mawkish, pious, prude Octavia,  
These bonds and fetters, tedious as disease,  
Not worth the parings of her finger nails.

Oh, for the breath of Egypt, the soft nights  
Of the voluptuous east, the dard delights  
We tasted there, the lotus perfumed gales  
That dream along the low shores of the Nile  
And flutter in the languid sail!  
Oh, for the queen of all, for the rich smile  
That glows like autumn over her dark face,  
For her large nature, her enchanting grace,  
Her arms, that are away so many a mailed  
Away, Fontenai! Lose no hour; make sail;  
Weigh anchor on the instant; woo a gale  
To blow you to her! Tell her I shall be  
Close on your very heels across the sea,  
Praying that Neptune send me storms as strong  
As passion is to sweep me swift along  
Till the white spray sing whistling round my  
prow  
And the waves gurgie 'neath the keel's sharp  
prow.

Fly, fly, Fontenai! When I think of her  
My soul within my body is astray,  
My wild blood pulses, and my hot cheeks glow!  
Love with its madness overwhelms me so  
That I—oh, go, I say! Fontenai, go!  
—W. W. Story.

#### Mrs. Lofty and I.

Mrs. Lofty keeps a carriage.  
So do I.  
She has dapple grays to draw it.  
None have I.  
She's no prouder with her coachman  
Than I am I.  
With my blue eyes, laughing baby  
Trundling by.  
I hide his face, lest she should see  
The cherub boy and envy me.  
Her fine husband has white fingers.  
Mine has not.  
He could give his bride a palace;  
Mine, a cot.  
Hers comes home beneath the starlight.  
Ne'er carest she who.  
Mine comes home in the purple twilight.  
Kisses me.

And prays that he who turns life's sands  
Will hold his loved ones in his hands.  
She has those who love her. Station  
None have I.  
But I've one true heart beside me—  
Glad am I.  
I'd not change it for a kingdom;  
No, not I.  
God will weigh it in his balance  
By and by.

And then the difference he'll define  
Twixt Mrs. Lofty's wealth and mine.  
—Mrs. C. Gildersleeve.

#### Unnecessary Sympathy.

I always felt sorry when I met Jim.  
Poor fellow, he's married now.  
And his life is a serious thing to him.  
For he lives by the sweat of his brow.

And the cares of a family weigh him down,  
And he slaves to run the house.  
Why, Jim was the gayest boy in town,  
And I'll bet he's as poor as a mouse.

And because he looked so worn and sad  
I tried, whenever we met,  
To talk of the good times we'd had,  
In hopes that he might forget.

Till I said I was living at the club.  
Then I felt a deep chagrin.  
Lest he should think I was trying to rub  
His misery farther in.

But he exclaimed: "That's a horrible life!  
No child to climb on your knee,  
No quiet home and the loving wife!"  
By Jove, he was pitying me!

—Harry Komaine in Life.

#### Woman.

O woman, woman, thou shouldst have few  
stubs  
Of thine own to answer for! Thou art the au-  
thor  
Of such a book of follies in man  
That it would need the tears of all the angels  
To blot the record out!

#### Sincerity.

Pathless the gulf of feeling yawns.  
No trivial bridge of words  
Or arch of baldest epian  
Can leap the moat that girds  
The sincere man.

—Henry David Thoreau.

#### A BROWN LEAF.

In the woods today a leaf fluttered down;  
It was wrinkled and old and bent and brown,  
But it met the wind and bent to play,  
And I watched it until it whirled away.

And I could but wonder, when time and grief  
Should have made me old and bent as the leaf,  
Would my heart be as young and full of glee  
As the brown leaf playing in front of me?  
—Frank H. Sweet in Ladies' Home Journal.

## A GEORGIA COLONEL.

Colonel Joseph George Washington Mills is the king of Red Clay, one of the mountain kingdoms that lie a-straddle of the state line which divides Georgia and Tennessee, and is one of the most noted characters of that mountain region.

In the seventies Colonel Mills was a Republican, residing in Atlanta, and ran for congress on the Republican ticket about the time of the political upheaval that brought on such radical changes in the state government. He was a victim of existing circumstances, and without waiting until the ballots were counted he gave up the fight in disgust.

Not long afterward he removed to the remote corner of the commonwealth where he now resides and possessed himself of the historic town of Red Clay, including the ancient council house where Andrew Jackson and the chiefs of the Cherokees met for the last time preparatory to the removal of the tribes to their new territory in the west. He is full of anecdotes, and his stories carry one back to the days of the old Georgia militia, of which he was one of the commanding officers.

"I shall never forget," said he one day, "my first experience as a drillmaster. I was elected captain of a company down in Cobb county, the muster roll of which included the warlike denizens of the forest depths in the neighborhood of Lost mountain. Hunters, traders, trappers, squatters and crackers of low degree were included in this organization. I knew the character of the men that I had to deal with, and as my father was Major General Enoch R. Mills, then commanding the justly celebrated Georgia militia, I felt that I must keep up the dignity of my office by arraying myself not only in authority, but in all the gorgeous habiliments of a high official in the Georgia militia.

"I called to mind an old friend of my father's, Captain Howell, who lived over in Gwinnett county and who had recently resigned the command of his company. He possessed a gorgeous uniform, with the most fetching epaulets that I ever beheld, and I made up my mind that I would apply to him for the loan of his paraphernalia to wear at my first drill, which was to occur on the following Friday. It was in the heat of the summer, after crops were laid by, so I mounted my gray pony and rode to the home of Captain Howell, who extended to me an exceedingly warm reception. 'Lend you my coat and epaulets,' said he when I told my mission. 'Of course I will. I will do anything for the son of General Mills, who is my warm personal friend, sir, I am proud to say. Try on the coat and let us see how it fits. Aha, it is the very thing. Take it, with my compliments, sir, epaulets and all, and may you wear it with the same distinguished honor with which your esteemed father has won the uniform of a major general of the Georgia militia, sir. Here is my sash, also, sir.' And he handed me a silken sash as long as a fence rail, with a gold fringe on it like an old fashioned window curtain. After bidding him an affectionate adieu, I mounted the gray pony and started back home.

"Hold on there," shouted Captain Howell after I had ridden a few paces. 'Here is something else that you will need, Captain Mills.' And he overtook me and handed me a copy of Scott's tactics. I present you with this, sir, as the highest authority in the land. It has been carefully compiled by General Winfield Scott after the most approved methods and usages of the greatest commanders of the age, sir. It is above and beyond all statutory law and is second and subservient only to the constitution of the United States, sir. Only follow its instructions and carry out its regulations and your future is assured, Captain Mills.

"With the uniform and sash carefully packed in my saddlebags and that copy of Scott's tactics in my left hand I rode off down the winding road in the direction of Lost mountain, where the citizen soldiers of my command were pursuing their peaceful avocations. A casual inspection of the cover of the book showed me a military officer in full regiments, and as I opened it and began reading my heart swelled and my bosom glowed with military enthusiasm and patriotic ardor.

"About 2 o'clock in the afternoon I arrived in the heart of the forest around Lost mountain, and it occurred to me that as I had never drilled a company of soldiers I ought to engage in some preliminary tactics and not make a display of my ignorance to the men whom I expected some day to lead to glory. So I turned aside into the forest, and after riding for 200 or 300 yards through the densest woods I ever saw I dismounted at the root of a fallen tree and tied my pony.

"Divesting myself of my coat, I put on the emblazoned and epauletted garment presented to me by Captain Howell and invested myself with the glowing sash and its tinsel tassels floating in the wind. Taking position close to the fallen tree, where I thought it would be utterly impossible for any one to come upon me without my discovering his approach, I assumed a haughty and commanding posture, and with a copy of Scott's tactics opened in my hand I began drilling the imaginary squadron.

"'Carry ahms!' I called in stentorian tones.  
"'Order ahms!'  
"'Right shoulder ahms!'  
"'Present ahms!'  
"'Recover ahms!'

"Having gone through with this part of the evolutions to my entire satisfaction, I began on that portion of the manual which referred to loading and firing the old flintlock muskets then in use by the Georgia militia.

"'Draw rammer!'  
"'Bite off cartridge!'  
"'Charge cartridge!'  
"'Recover rammer!'  
"'Open pan!'  
"'Prime pan!'  
"'Close pan!'  
"'Make ready!'  
"'Take aim!'  
"'Fire!'  
"'Cease firing!'  
"'Carry arms!'

"'Well done, comrades,' said I, in a congratulatory voice to my imaginary squadron. 'You do remarkably well for men who have seen so little service.' Then bracing myself against the log I called out:

"'Attention, company!'  
"'By the right wheel!'  
"'Forward! March!'  
"'Then I began to imitate the tramp of soldiers, 'hep, hep, hep. Closer order there, men, closer order! Close up the rear rank! Steady men, steady! Halt, comrades!' said I, taking a step forward. 'You must learn to keep step. Keep your eyes front and follow your guides and hold your muskets in position. This will prevent so much confusion.'

"'Forward, march! Hep, hep, hep, hep.'

"'Halt!'  
"'Stack ahms!'  
"'Break ranks!'

"'Comrades,' cried I, in a voice trembling with enthusiasm, 'it affords me pleasure to compliment you upon your proficiency and the care and attention which you have given to these tactics, which are taken from the methods and usages of the greatest commanders of the age. I feel that I can rely upon each and every one of you to do his full duty toward his commander and his country when occasion offers. I feel from your gallant and soldierly bearing and exemplary conduct today that your bosoms are inspired with that patriotic devotion to home and country which are the mainspring of every soldierly virtue. In the flash of your eyes and the bearing of your manly forms I behold that pride of patriotism which should animate our country's defenders, and I know that, should any foe invade our country and attempt any usurpation of our liberties, you would spring to arms and march in the defense of your country and your firesides to death or glorious victory.'

"'Captain Mills,' said I, imitating the supposititious voice of my first lieutenant, 'we have listened with the profoundest pleasure to your words of kindly commendation, which we trust we shall merit in our future conduct. We hope to do full justice to all your expectations, and in the days to come instead of Captain Mills we hope to hail you as Major General Mills, commanding the Georgia militia.'

"'Lieutenant,' said I in a trembling voice, as if too much overcome for utterance and drawing my bandanna handkerchief from my hat, 'I cannot express the feelings of deep gratification which your words have inspired in my heart. I only hope that our relations may be always as pleasant as they have been on this occasion of our first meeting as commander and faithful followers. It is now with feelings of the deepest interest in your future welfare that I bid you goodbye.'

"'Captain Mills,' said I, again imitating the lieutenant, 'we all join in returning to you our most hearty good wishes. Comrades, three cheers and a tiger for Captain Mills of the Lost Mountain volunteers.'

"'Hip-hip-hoo-ra-y!'

"When the echoes of that cheer had died away, I pulled off my military coat and sash, carefully wrapped them up and placed them in my saddlebags along with a copy of Scott's tactics, and donning my everyday overcoat I started to mount my horse. I had one foot in the stirrup when I heard a little rustling in the foliage of the fallen tree.

"Turning around, I stood face to face with the tallest mountaineer that I ever laid eyes upon. He rose slowly out of the crotch of the tree, and it seemed to me that he grew taller and taller as he straightened himself. He was red whiskered, red faced and cross eyed, and his flaming hair fell in wild profusion from under his coonskin cap. In his hand he held one of the old fashioned squirrel puncher rifles that glistered in the sun as he fixed me with his stern and baleful gaze.

"'Well,' said he, catching a deep breath, 'I've seen fools, I've read of fools, I've heard of fools, but of all the goldarned fools that ever I saw you are the goldarned infernal!'  
"By that time I had recovered my composure to some extent, and reaching in my pocket I pulled out a \$2½ gold-piece, the only money I had.

"'Look here, my friend, I don't suppose that you feel any particular interest in telling about this thing. You just take this and say no more about it.' 'Well,' said he, sighing regretfully, 'as I am not in the fool killing business I reckon I'll take you up. But I feel that I'm missing a mighty fine opportunity.'

"I mounted my horse and rode off, and that cross eyed mountaineer kept his word. But never in all my experience have I had such a close shave as I did on the occasion of my first drill."—Chicago Record.

#### Different Views.

"Do you ever go to church?" asked a city missionary of a woman who had applied to him for assistance.

"No, I don't," was the reply. "The fact is, I ain't fit things to wear. My husband's been out o' work so long I've run out o' things, and, anyhow, me and my husband have such different views I'd have to go alone if I went at all."

"What are your views?"  
"Well, I'm a Methodist, and my husband, he's one o' these here Knights o' Pythias."—Youth's Companion.



## NEW MEN IN CONGRESS

THIRTY-FOUR REPUBLICANS FROM SIXTEEN SOUTHERN STATES.

Phenomenal Career of Congressman Settle of North Carolina—An "Independent Protectionist"—The New Member and the Speaker—Free Silver in the South.

[Special Correspondence.]  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Taken by classes, the southern Republicans in congress are by far the most interesting class, being so very new and, as it were, so very unexpected. In fact, the south has been Democratic so long that many have forgotten their history. Hon. George H. Noonan has been referred to as "the first Republican congressman from Texas." He is an able man and a very solid one, but not the first of his party from that state. In the first years of reconstruction the cotton states, from Roanoke to the Rio Grande, were almost solidly Republican, and when the first Democrat from Texas, Captain Connor, entered the house in 1870 Ben Butler made such a furious fight against him that he would certainly have been ousted if he had not been a Federal veteran. Indeed it was not till 1875 that the Democrats had a majority from the old south. But this is only a reminiscence.

**New Men From the South.**  
From the 16 states once called the south there are in this congress 34 Republicans, but 23 are from the five border states and 3 from the old Republican stronghold of east Tennessee. In the Fifty-third congress there were 7, of whom 2 were from the border states and 2 from east Tennessee, leaving from the real south only the colored Murray of South Carolina and Hon. Thomas Settle of North Carolina. As the latter gentleman is the sole Republican survivor of the Fifty-third congress from the south and is credited with having engineered the fusion which captured North Carolina he has attained a rather dizzy prominence, but he bears it well. He has had a phenomenal career, indeed, as a precocious youth. He was admitted to the bar at 20, elected district solicitor at 21, elected to congress at 27, and now, at the age of 30, is in his second term and the recognized leader of his section.

The new men from the south have borne their honors most becomingly, but some of the gangs which followed them here have amused old spectators by their refreshing innocence.

Hon. Alonzo Craig Shuford of the Seventh North Carolina district is a trifle aggravated by the fact that the newspapers and the first official list of this congress set him down as a Repub-



lican, whereas he is a Populist of the most pronounced sort, believes in the whole Omaha platform and is half sorry there isn't more of it to believe. North Carolina has indeed been badly misrepresented in the papers. The Democrats declared from the start that the so-called Populists were Republicans in disguise and, when the terms of the fusion were carried out in the election of senators, that there were "virtually two Republican senators, as Marion Butler was one." In truth, the bar is on the other leg, as we say in Paris. It would be much nearer correct to say that there are two Populist senators, for, though Mr. Pritchard is ranked as a Republican, he is certainly the mildest one on finance that I have run against since greenback days out west.

**An Independent Protectionist.**  
Hon. Richmond Pearson of the Ninth North Carolina district ran as an "Independent Protectionist," and so records himself in the directory, but aside from tariff tenets I doubt if he could be classed. Still more paradoxical is the position of Hon. Romulus V. Linney, who was elected as a Republican, and so classes himself, but has already introduced a bill for coining all the silver bullion produced in the United States and expects to make the fight of his congressional life on that line. He also wants all the silver bullion now owned by the government coined into dollars at the old ratio, and all the national debts paid half in these dollars and half in gold. He is a very ruddy and stocky gentleman of 54 and looks exactly like a successful farmer, but is a lawyer. He is also a very pleasant talker, and his war reminiscences would make a very readable article. "I joined the Confederate army at 17," he says, "and got my disabling wound at Chancellorsville. I well remember that as I lay wounded Lieutenant Colonel Hill, Lieutenant Mansfield Campbell and Lieutenant Robert A. Bullock, all of my company, lay dead just in front of me. As to politics, I was always a Democrat till I read Cleveland's first message and saw that there was to be war on silver. Then I left the party and have fought it ever since."

Now, isn't that a rather queer sort of Republican, who left the Democratic party because it was opposed to silver? Hon. Harry Skinner and Hon. William F. Stroud of the First and Fourth North Carolina are, like Mr. Shuford, Populists from the start, the former a lawyer, the latter a farmer. With very rare exceptions, members go into caucus with the party by which they were elected and support its measures, but were it not so I should set down the whole North Carolina delegation in both houses as silverite and Populist. Perhaps the busiest man among the southern Republicans is Hon. Walter Evans of the Louisville

district. He is a spare, wiry sort of man, and as his life has been put in at hard work his constituents and a very large section of the south outside of his district seem to have taken it for granted that he can stand anything. Another hard worker apparently is Hon. George H. Noonan of San Antonio, Tex., who represents 37 counties of the most diverse climate, people and productions. He was judge of the district court for 33 years, and his Democratic friends attribute his election entirely to the high character he sustained in that office and his resulting popularity. Judge Noonan, however, will not listen to such an explanation, but thinks it was all on account of the Wilson bill putting wool on the free list. His big fight will be for restoring the McKinley rates on that staple.

**Gains For Silver.**  
Among the very distinguished new men from the south is General James A. Walker, the only Republican from Virginia, and it adds not a little to his rank that he carried his district by some 3,000 against Cyclone Jim Marshall, who carried it by some 5,000 in 1892. It is worth noting that General Walker is also a radical silver man, and it may be said in general that the big percentage of extreme silver men among the new Republicans is one of the surprises of this congress. He talks it, too, with more than the average freedom, and is very confident that an overwhelming majority of the Republicans of the south would vote for the free coinage of silver at once if it were put to a popular vote. The general, as everybody knows—for he is a man of national reputation—was one of the most brilliant soldiers in the Confederate army, having commanded the famous "Stonewall brigade" and Early's division in the latter part of the war.

I have been much interested in the reasons given by those southern Republicans for their being here and for the general political revolution of 1894, but, after all, it seems that the enthusiasm of the politician nearly always overcomes the judgment of the man, for each is confident it was due entirely to the particular feature in which he takes most interest. Hon. J. H. Huling of West Virginia, for instance, attributes it altogether to the tariff and the slight which the Democrats put on the industries of his state, while the North Carolina men think "treason to silver" had a good deal to do with it. "The man who beat Billy Wilson" is the popular title for Hon. Alston Gordon Dayton, who has been a great success as a lawyer, but admits to some surprise at his sudden promotion to a congressman. Of course he thinks the tariff did it all, and that West Virginia is to remain Republican.

**SUMMER FRUITS IN WINTER.**  
How Their Freshness Can Be Kept Unimpaired For Months.

[Special Correspondence.]  
PARIS, Dec. 23.—Whose mouth does not water at the thought of a dish of strawberries for New Year's? Not the expensive and tasteless hothouse kind, but the natural berry, just as it is picked from the fields. Again, who would not be glad to have real muskmelons, watermelons, peaches, grapes and other fall and summer fruits in the dead of winter? These questions of course answer themselves.

Most persons, however, will be inclined to look at this style of turning winter into summer as something likely to happen when the moon turns to green cheese, and not before. Yet one of the noteworthy achievements of this wonderful age of exploration of the secrets of nature seems to be the discovery of a cheap and effective process whereby fresh fruit can be kept just as it was originally picked for a term of several months. This good news has just been made public in this country, where scientific horticulture has reached a high degree of proficiency. The joyous tidings will be welcome to the multitude of fruit growers throughout the United States and the still larger multitude of private consumers. The fruit growers can get materially better prices for their enormous crop, and the private consumers can enjoy table luxuries, oftentimes of great value for the preservation of health, such as are now denied them.

The process by which these beneficial results are to be achieved is a simple one. It was first put in practice by A. Petit, chief of the laboratory of horticultural research at the National Horticultural school of Versailles. He observed that pears and apples kept for several months, even when rotting had begun, in an atmosphere saturated with vapors of alcohol and water, without showing the slightest sign of mold. Convinced that he was on the track of important results, he embarked on a course of systematic experiment, choosing grapes as the fruit to be treated because of their great tenderness and liability to decay.

Bunches of grapes cut fresh from the vines were placed upon beds of wood shavings in a receptacle that was for all practical purposes a cemented brick box closed as nearly hermetically as possible by a common wooden door. A partly open bottle containing 61 cubic inches of alcohol was also placed in the brick box. To make the experiment complete equal quantities of grapes were placed in two similar brick boxes without any alcohol, the wooden cover of one being kept open and that of the other kept closed. The boxes were all located in a cool place.

The result of the experiment showed that at the end of nearly two months the grapes subjected to the alcoholic vaporization remained full, firm and of unimpaired flavor. Seventeen cubic inches of alcohol—more than one-fourth of its entire contents—remained in the bottle. On the other hand, the grapes in the brick boxes which were destitute of alcohol became hopelessly moldy and rotten in less than three weeks.

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**IN THE SOCIAL SWIM.**  
A Society Woman's Description of It at the National Capital.

[Special Correspondence.]  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—On the 1st of January the busy social season at Washington begins, and social observance is more a business at the national capital than in any other American city. It is, in fact, more a business than a pleasure, and few people who are not familiar with the details of social life at Washington know what a stupendous task a woman undertakes when she joins the fashionable set. This season the society woman must crowd the fulfillment of all her social duties—of entertaining and being entertained—into less than two months. If she did not make a business of it, she would never fulfill her chosen mission. In the season which is about to open every hour which the society woman can spare from sleep will be needed for social duties, and she will be fortunate if she does not owe nature a big debt when Lent comes. As for being a mother to any one, that is something for which she will have no time, and if she is a true representative of her type no inclination.

There are few busier women in the social ranks than the wives of the United States senators. They are not necessarily leaders because of their husbands' high official positions. On the contrary, they occupy a middle ground socially even under the most favorable conditions. In fact, unless they come to Washington with other claims to social prominence their husbands' official positions count for very little. The wife of the senator from a large eastern city, who has the advantages of good birth, culture and wealth, has little difficulty in becoming not only prominent, but a leader in society, while her sister from the interior, who has led a quiet, domestic life at home and perhaps by her struggles and economies in early life has helped her husband to his high position, is seldom heard of or seen outside a small official circle. The fact that the senator's wife occupies this middle ground makes her, if she has social aspirations, all the keener to secure her place, and to do this she must follow to a most absurd extreme the unwritten social law of Washington. No feature of that law is more impressive than that



**ELIZABETH HARMON.**  
JULIA STEVENSON. LETITIA STEVENSON, which regulates precedence in calling. The senator's wife must call on the president's wife and the families of the cabinet officers. The latter calls must be made on cabinet day, which has always been Wednesday. She must call at the homes of the justices of the supreme court, on the wives of all the more recently elected senators (whom she is prone to patronize), and she must leave cards on those members of the corps diplomatique who are married—or represent themselves to be. She then draws the long satisfied sigh of the good and faithful servant, and having given of her time and strength and of her graciousness she fixes her day and prepares for the less blessed mission of receiving.

In this she must yield her own preference to the comfort and convenience of that tyrant, society.

If she wants to be popular in the exclusive resident set, she must join a reading club or a Shakespeare class or manage to become one of the patronesses of the Children's hospital ball.

When she sees her name even at the end of a list which is headed by Mrs. Cleveland and Lady Pauncetote, she feels that life holds little more that she could desire.

And now, with her mornings devoted to the readings and the hospital society, she starts on her career. She gets home from her morning's occupation in time to dress for a fashionable luncheon at 2—a luncheon at which she picks up the small gossip of her set, and where scandal goes up one side of the festive board as the salad is passed down the other. From this she rushes home, laden with flowers and her luncheon souvenir, in time to make additions to her toilet and start on a round of calls, stopping in at a "tea," where she has a clasp of the hand and a word from her hostess as she walks through the almost deserted parlour into the dining room beyond, where the crowd is always to be found struggling for a fried oyster or a glass of punch. She makes her way around, a word here, a smile there, a glass of punch in a corner, and then she is off. Another word with the deserted hostess, who must keep her position at the door, and away she goes to a similar "function" on the same block. She makes from 15 to 20 calls in an afternoon, "shows" at several teas and gets home in time to dress for a dinner at the house of another senator or a member of the cabinet. From this she goes to a White House reception, where she stays a short time, stopping on her way home for a moment at another less pretentious but more exclusive entertainment given by some one who is not in the official circle.

This is a typical day in the life of a society woman in Washington. Is it any wonder that one was heard to say at the end of last season that her acquaintances would crowd a church, but her friends would not fill the pulpit?

**NARCISSE DOYLE.**

## PRETTY BALL GOWNS

THEY OWE IT ALL TO THEIR DECIDED SIMPLICITY.

Striking Lace Effects—Continued Popularity of Button Trimming—Black Woolen Goods—The Gown For Gentlewomen. Short Lived Novelty Goods.

[Special Correspondence.]  
NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Just now the feminine mind is fixed upon two important things—one is the lovely ball gowns and the other the warm and fur trimmed outdoor coats and wraps. Of the two the ball gowns probably have the greatest interest, for they are devoted to pleasure only and are allied to music, flowers, bright scenes and perhaps to "Him." The "H" of a young lady's secret thoughts is always spelled with a capital. He is the only "H" to her, and for "Him" she wishes to look charming. The ball dresses of this season are very



**NEW CORSAJES AND MATINEE.**

pretty, and they owe their beauty to their simplicity. Baby waists and straight gathered skirts are the rule and the elaborate ones are the exception. Many artificial flowers are worn, belts, berthas and garlands being one style of employing them. There are almost no floating sprays. Whatever flowers are used are set very close to each other and have scarcely any foliage. The prettiest and most serviceable of dancing gowns are those made of silk mull. It is tough and keeps fresh longer than anything else, and when it is white, ivory or cream it can be made into a new one by a fresh set of ribbons or a different lace or flower garniture.

Point applique lace is imitated so closely now that it requires an expert to know which is the real, and it is laid over velvet and plush, cloth and silk and is used with fur to trim almost everything. A very odd way to apply it is to take a rich and heavy insertion, and with a fine scissors cut off both edges. This leaves the pattern without any straight border. The lace is then sewed down to the garment, and the effect is very striking. I saw a matinee jacket of pearl gray swan's down flannel, and this was gathered to a round yoke of black velvet, which was bordered with an inch wide band of chinchilla. The choker collar and the bottom were bordered with the fur. The garment was shirred in to fit the waist. The sleeves were bishop shape, but were taken in just above the wrists under a velvet band. The lower part of the sleeves was turned under, forming a sort of puffed fall. The band of insertion was set along down the front and around the yoke, collar and sleeves, adding a rich effect impossible to describe.

While buttons as trimming are so popular one must admit that there are other modes of finishing a costume that would better please those of quiet tastes. Among those, one favorite is to have bindings and other devices of astrakhan. This always looks rich and is always in good taste, and it can also be made very dressy. I saw a waist that was exceptionally dressy, and it was made of plain gray chevot. There was a wide belt, with buckle, and a pale pink shirt front, with silver buttons and a black necktie. The waist was in form of a short nondescript jacket, neither Eton, figaro nor bolero, but a little of each. There was a rolling collar, and this had a wide border of close astrakhan. The bottom was bordered with it, and there were three narrow bands down the front of the jacket, but only two in the back, and these simulated side seams. There were two narrow bands around the bottom of the skirt. Altogether the suit was a very stylish affair.

Black woolen goods are decidedly fashionable now, whether one is or is not in mourning, and are always the



**BONE MOURNING GOWN.**

gentlewoman's gown. Nothing can be more truly elegant than a nice piece of any one of these materials made up well. And black has an advantage over all colors—it can be worn anywhere and on all occasions. With the application of English crape any black gown may be made into a mourning dress if the owner is so unfortunate as to require one. Bands, panels, waists and sleeves of crape may be added in any modish manner with comparatively little trouble.

**OLIVE HARPER.**

## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 12.

Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—The peril and the power of ambition.—Luke ii, 32; Dent. viii, 11-33.

Ambition is an inordinate and eager desire of preferment, honor, superiority or power. The peril and the power of ambition are illustrated in the lives of many of the world's most illustrious men. The power of their ambition has been so great that, regardless of the just rights of others, regardless of the laws of God, they have sought only to accomplish their purposes, and when position and power have been attained God has been forgotten, and no claims that even He has had upon them have been considered.

In the first Scriptural reference we have pointed out to us a laudable ambition and the gracious results of it. We are told that Jesus grew in favor with God and man. Christ was in the true sense ambitious. He was filled with an inordinate desire to do the will of God. We cannot be filled with too much of this kind of ambition. Paul also had a worthy ambition. He expressed it when he said, "We labor that whether present or absent we may be accepted of Him." We cannot be filled with too strong a desire to serve God and to so labor that we may be accepted of Him. This should be the one ambition of our lives, and if we make it that we will not only grow in favor with God, but also with man, as Jesus did.

In the second reference there is a solemn warning against forgetting God in the time of prosperity. The children of Israel could not but see the hand of God in their guidance and direction in the wilderness, but in the land of Canaan it would be different. There the blessings of prosperity and wealth would come from God through second causes, and there might be a temptation in the pride of their hearts for them to say, "My power and the might of my hand hath gotten me this wealth." This is the great danger of prosperity—that it may make us proud and ambitious, that we will take all the credit to ourselves and forget that we are indebted to God for all things.

False ambition always leads to destruction. God solemnly warns us against it. It has ruined some of the world's greatest men, and is supposed to have caused the downfall of the angels who fell from heaven. True ambition—a burning desire to serve God—receives His blessing and favor and the favor and confidence of men. Let us then "labor that whether present or absent we may be accepted of Him."

**Bible Readings.**—Gen. xi, 1-9; I Kings i, 5-33; Ps. xviii, 27; Prov. xvii, 19; xxix, 23; Isa. xiv, 12-20; Jer. li, 49-53; Ezek. xxxi, 10-12; Math. xviii, 1-3; xx, 20-28; xxiii, 1-12; Luke xiv, 8-11; xxii, 24-26; Rom. xii, 10; Phil. ii, 3-12; II Thess. ii, 1-4; Jas. iv, 6-10; I Pet. v, 6, 7; III John ix.

**THE ENDEAVOR PLEDGE.**

There Is No Excuse a Christian Can Give For Not Keeping It.

From the beginning of the Christian Endeavor movement some one has wanted to try his hand at tinkering the pledge. "The pledge is too strong," or "The pledge couldn't be lived up to," or "Something must be changed to adapt it to the peculiarities of our society." It is amazing how many "peculiar" societies there are in the world.

There are not so many of these pledge tinkers as there used to be, but we hear of them every now and then, even in these days. Now there is not much objection to altering the phraseology, if the meaning is not changed or the strenuousness of the pledge is not weakened, but this is the very thing that most pledge tinkers desire to do.

Now I should like to whisper in their ears that the revised Christian Endeavor pledge was prepared very carefully and prayerfully. Days of time were spent in weighing each word, so that every one might be the right word in the right place. The strength of every phrase was considered and special pains were taken not to have a single letter or syllable in the pledge which the youngest and weakest active member could not keep. Twice, in the heart of the pledge, at the risk of tautology, and perhaps to the detriment of the queen's English, the phrase is substantially repeated, "Unless prevented by a reason which I can conscientiously give to the Lord Jesus Christ." That is the only excuse which the Christian ever ought to be willing to give for the nonperformance of any known duty. This is twice admitted and insisted on in the heart of the pledge, and it fully excuses any conscientious Christian, if he has any excuse worth giving. A Christian Endeavor society that fully understands what the pledge means in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred will vote against altering it. What is needed is a careful study of the pledge. Have a meeting to explain it and talk about it and to understand its thorough reasonableness.

My earnest advice to pledge tinkers is, "Don't."—Secretary Baer.

**Points For Endeavorers.**

Boston, Lowell and Woburn each reports a Greek Christian Endeavor society.

Many of the Indian Christian Endeavor societies of the west are organized into a separate union called the Dakota Christian Endeavor union.

There is hope that Christian Endeavor will soon gain a foothold in the land of the czar.

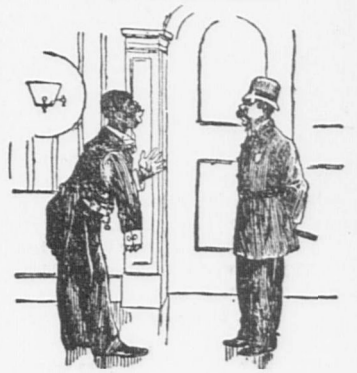
"C. E.," says a Junior worker in New Zealand, "stands for 'Children Especially.'"

The most northern society in Great Britain is one just organized on one of the Shetland islands.

The Rev. J. Carr Arnette of West Point is now state president of Mississippi.

The dates for the next international convention at Washington have been fixed as July 8 to 13.

## At the Grand Reception.



Master of Ceremonies—Now, sah, if you'll kin'ly station yo'self at de do' an admit only de frien' an 'quain'ces—Policeman Tiernan—An how om Oi to know de likes of thim from de ithers? Will they hev tickets with 'Presint at th' door' on 'em?

Master of Ceremonies—They'll be no tickets, sah. Jes' bear in mind dat only t'ree hundred guests are expected. Count off de t'ree hundred, den close de do's an keep out de rabble.—Texas Siftings.

**The Silver Lining.**



"Well, goodbye, and remember me to your brother. By the way, was he much hurt in that trap accident?"  
"Hurt? I should think not. Horse trod on his face, and it's improved his looks wonderfully!"—Pick Me Up.

**All There.**



"Who are all these?" asked the visitor.

"Oh! That album?" said the languid young man. "That is a collection of photographs of the only girls I ever loved."—Collier's Weekly.

**A Small Job.**



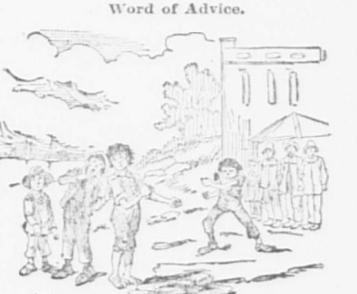
He (with personal narrative, fearfully thrilling)—To collect my scattered wits was the work of a moment.  
She (musing, oh, so sweetly!)—Yes; it would hardly take longer.—Ally Sloper.

**Conflicting.**



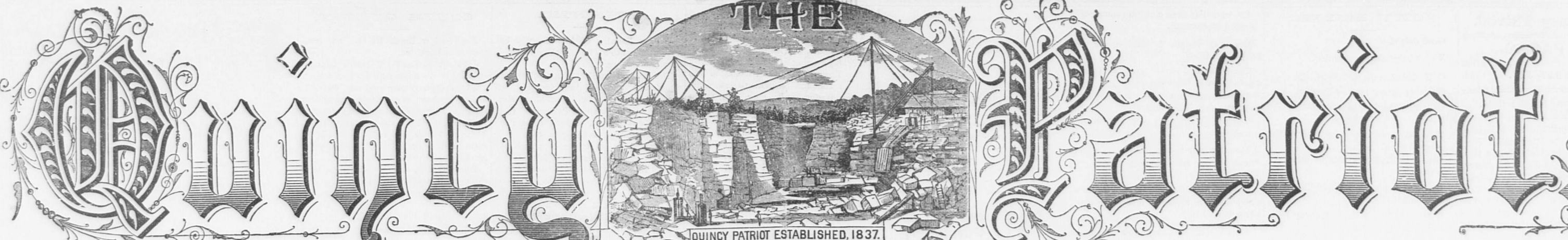
"How were your crops this week, Parnips?"  
"Well, they didn't turn out as well as I thought they were a-goin to, and I didn't think they would."—Truth.

**Word of Advice.**



"Knock him out wid an uppercut, Jimmy, an if, in de excitement of de moment, yez finds yez has got ter strike below de belt hit so hard he'll have spazzums an won't know de differ'nce."—Life.





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place at 10 A. M. Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1896, at  
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Yard. Necessary papers and full information  
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Reserve for Unpaid Losses, (Marine), 12,250.00  
Other Claims, - - - 5,917.85  
Total Assets, - - - \$197,845.86

Losses paid in 1892, \$50,352.29  
Dividends paid in 1892, \$65,380.93  
Jan. 21.

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**CASH FUND JANUARY 1, 1895.**

(A gain of \$17,751.82.)  
**SURPLUS OVER ALL LIABILITIES,**

(A gain of \$13,839.98.)  
**AMOUNT AT RISK,**

(A gain of \$649,821.)  
**Losses paid in 1892, \$50,352.29**

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Jan. 21.

**ATNA INSURANCE COMPANY.**

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INCORPORATED 1819. Charter Perpetual.

**Losses Paid in 7 Years \$75,142,516.**

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Cash Capital, \$4,000,000.00  
Reserve for Re-insurance, (Fire), 3,000,000.00  
Reserve for Re-insurance, (Marine), 1,000,000.00  
Reserve for Unpaid Losses, (Fire), 260,500.01  
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**DEDHAM, MASS.**

Statement January 1, 1895.

Amount at Risk, \$197,845.86  
Cash Assets, \$197,845.86  
Total Liabilities, including  
re-insurance, 150,430.84

Amount of Cash Surplus, 327,220.25  
Contingent Assets, 286,394.42  
Total Available Assets, 613,614.67

This Company insures Buildings and House-  
hold Furniture only strictly on the mutual plan  
and has never paid less than 50 per cent.  
dividend on every year's policy that has expired  
since its incorporation.

It is now paying dividends on one and two  
year policies, 35 per cent.; on three year poli-  
cies, 50 per cent.; on five year policies, 75 per cent.  
The Chief Policyholder, President,  
**ELIJAH HOWE, JR., Sec. and Treas.**  
**BORACE B. SPEAR, Agent for Quincy**  
April 4.

**DORCHESTER**  
**MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.,**

BOSTON, MASS.

Standing January 1, 1895.

Assets (Bonds, Stocks and Mortgage), \$300,945.57  
Liabilities, 497,497.28  
Amount available to pay losses, \$803,442.35

Reinsurance, \$225,294.69  
Losses, 1,250.00  
The Company has paid for losses to  
date, \$225,494.69  
Dividends returned to policyhold-  
ers to date, 620,456.66  
On five year Policies, - 75 per cent.  
On three year Policies, - 50 per cent.  
On one year Policies, - 35 per cent.  
All losses promptly adjusted and paid.  
**THOS. F. TEMPLE,**  
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**Poetry.**

**The Old-Time Fire.**

FRANK L. STANTON.

Talk about yer buildin's!  
That's 'tup by steam—  
Give me the old oak fire  
Where the old folks used to dream;  
The rickety dog-dog,  
One-sided as could be;  
The ashes banked with 'aters  
That was roast 'n' there for me;  
I'd give the best heater  
The dog on one side, drowin',  
Or barkin' nigh the door;  
The kitten cuttin' 'apers  
With the kuttin' 'n' the floor,  
An' a little too dead,  
By mammy's 'n' at night,  
With both my cheeks a-burnin'  
From the red flames leavin' bright.  
These steam-heatin' buildin's make me  
Jest weary for the blaze  
That was a heap more comfortable











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ston street. Quincy office at J. O. Holden's  
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**The Quincy Patriot.**  
SATURDAY, JAN. 18, 1896.  
**Specked Apples.**  
Old Farmer Grump, with thirty care  
Had safely stored away  
For winter use his apple crop—  
Enough to last till May.  
"We'll not begin," said Farmer Grump,  
"To eat 'em yet while;  
They've got to last the winter through—  
There's none too big a pile!"  
And so they lay, "neath lock and key,  
Till the ripened showed decay  
"Begin on 'em," then the farmer said,  
"Begin on 'em right away!"  
"We'll kinder sort 'em out," said he;  
"And use for sass the worst,  
And every one who goes for 'em  
Must take the specked ones first."  
And so they used the specked ones first,  
As Farmer Grump had said.  
But though they ate some every day,  
The specked ones kept ahead.  
And they not only ate them first,  
But all the winter through  
If that's the way, I'm going to say,  
And laugh, I'm sure have you.  
Now farmer Grump had a  
Well-filled apple bin,  
But as he stored them in he said,  
"Now listen: we'll begin  
"To eat the best of 'em right off,  
And keep on so each day,  
For some of 'em will not keep long  
Though some may last till May."  
And so his household, one and all,  
Enjoyed the fruit while sound.  
And eating still the ripest first,  
Had some when May came round.  
Now, boys and girls, it's out of date  
To hitch a moral on—  
I'll leave it to your common sense  
To see if there is one.  
—Arthur's Magazine

**Notes and Comments.**  
—Imperious Cesar! \$202,000,000, not to mention the interest which will have to be paid on the bonds, added to the public debt, in a time of profound peace, in less than three years! This record will be sufficient to keep the Democratic party from ever being trusted with the control of this government again. The experience has come high, but that is usually the way with the most useful experience.—Patriot

—The Plymouth Co-operative Bank has declared a dividend of 3.18 per cent. on the past six months' business.

—The directors of the Nantasket Beach Steamboat Company have voted to build a new boat for the company, with a capacity of about eight hundred passengers, to run between Nantasket, Pemberton and Boston.

—The Supreme court has recently reported this finding in the case of the Commonwealth vs. James McKelvey: "One may be convicted of unlawfully keeping intoxicating liquor for sale without proof that he actually sold any liquor or offered or exposed it for sale."

—According to "Bradstreet's" the total number of business failures in the United States during 1895 has been 18,013, an increase of over 2 per cent. over 1894, and the total amount of the liabilities of bankrupt concerns has been nearly \$100,000,000, an increase of 6 per cent. over last year.

—Brother White of the Mansfield News is always saying kind words. In his last number he has the following item: "The Quincy Patriot, venerable by age and respected and admired for years for its general excellence as a family paper, commences the New Year with the first number of volume LX. The PATRIOT was long since firmly fixed in property, but it attracts to itself new friends and new strength as the years roll on."

—The latest effort of the advocates of woman suffrage in Massachusetts is a petition for equal suffrage which is now being circulated throughout the state for the signatures of both men and women. A thorough canvass is to be made with the purpose of making the petition imposing in size when presented to the legislature.

—Mayor Quincy seems to be a single-taxer. A good many of his constituents would like to go a little further still and have no tax at all.—Somerville Journal.

—Thirty-two cities in Massachusetts and five in Rhode Island inaugurated new city governments last week, and nearly all of the new charters have provisions which urged that a check be placed upon municipal expenditure, and that the pay-as-you-go policy be adopted. The fallacy that a public debt is a public blessing is clearly losing its hold upon the New England mind.—Beverly Citizen.

—Evidently a concerted movement is to be made on the legislature this winter for the purpose of "liberalizing" the laws on taxation. The newly elected mayor of Boston in his inaugural delivered this week, takes very strong grounds in favor of his changes in the law. Mayor Quincy in his inaugural said that "false theories" of taxation must be absolutely abandoned, and advocated placing of taxation upon real estate.—New England Farmer.

—The Cape papers give warning to the public to be on the lookout for a smooth-tongued, professional-looking man who claims to be a doctor, who is making a rapid tour of small towns and has frightened many into the belief they were to lose their sight by cataracts and has been given a license to practice medicine as a warranted cure at a cost of \$25 each.

—The Boston and Albany railroad has adopted a device that other railroads will not slow to accept. Whenever a train for any reason is forced to stop at an unusual spot, a new invention is to be used. A fuse attached to a pointed rod, which is to be stuck into a crosstie between the tracks. It is ignited by the simple process of uncovering a friction cap, whereupon a bright red light, which neither wind nor rain can extinguish, burns for 15 minutes, making an illumination visible for a full mile.—New York World.

—The Quincy PATRIOT states that night lunch wagons find it difficult to make both ends meet in that city. In Charleston, where they prosper, but that probably is because they make both ends meet and the middle meat.—Charleston Enterprise.

—One of the remarkable things that a woman in Brookline, Maine, thirty-seven years ago received a present of a lamp, two chimneys and a globe, and though in constant use are all yet unbroken.

—Both steam and electric cars are running on the same track between Louisville, Ky., and New Albany, Ind.

—The Gazette published at Hyde Park is the oldest west of the Mississippi. It was published in Norfolk County. It was located for many years at Dedham, but when the new and wide awake town of Hyde Park started, it was moved there, and has been valuable all to that flourishing town, which will soon be a city.

—The first agitation against the action of the Biennial Election League has made itself felt in the formation of the Annual Election League of Boston. It is largely composed of members of the Knights of the Central Labor Union, which organizations, to a man, are said to be opposed to biennial elections.

**Helps Scotland—Hurts Quincy.**  
"The total output of the monumental yards of Aberdeen, Scotland, for the year is estimated at \$250,000, of which \$200,000 worth went to America."  
The above is a quotation from a review of the granite industry of Aberdeen, Scotland, from the Journal of that city. We read further that there is "marked activity" at one yard; another "presently busy"; and another "The year just closing has been an exceptionally busy one." Similar reports follow, and it is plain that at least one city has prospered because of tariff legislation in America. And granite centers abroad have profited likewise.

—Seven states now have Masonic homes in full working order: Illinois, Kentucky, Michigan, Missouri, New York, Pennsylvania. Ohio is building a home.

—It seems to be a decided fact that Thomas B. Reed of Maine is the popular choice of the leading Republicans of New England of all the Presidential candidates so far brought forward.

—Thomas Goss, aged 84 years, skated three miles on the Kennebec River last week, took dinner with a friend, and skated home again.

—During the last six months the Massachusetts highway commission has had \$700,000 to expend. During that period there has been laid out and substantially completed 80 miles of state roads, so well and thoroughly done that they afford the most striking object lessons of the utility of the commission. The law under which this work is carried on provides that a single example, the proposed commission once a year in each of the counties of the state for the general discussion of roads and road making.

**Court Finances.**  
Clerk John P. S. Churchill of the East Norfolk District court has submitted the following financial report to the comptroller of the treasury of Norfolk county for the year 1895:  
Received from defendants in fines, \$4,483.23; complainants in bad debts, \$10.00; sale of writs in civil actions, \$40.00; civil actions in civil cases, \$322.00; civil cases, \$153.56; naturalizations, \$25.00.  
Paid to county treasurer \$453.48. To treasurers of cities and towns as follows: Quincy, \$551.41; Weymouth, \$235.87; Hingham, \$211.10; Milton, \$177.77; Cohasset, \$123.46; Houghton, \$107.50; Braintree, \$37.47; total, \$1,550.64. To complainants or informants in criminal cases \$20.00; for persons, \$38.40; to officers, \$2,733.12; witnesses, \$1,208.70; certified to town treasurers other than Quincy \$738.32.

**Women May be Admitted.**  
The executive committee of the Quincy Yacht club held a meeting Saturday evening to arrange for the annual meeting to be held the first Saturday in February. Commodore Charles F. Fennell presided, and Secretary J. S. Whiting reported a small surplus in the treasury, and that a debt of \$150 had been paid. The past year had been one of the most successful in every way that the club had ever had, and the prospects for the coming season were very encouraging.

—The question of admitting women to membership in the club came up and created quite a discussion. It was finally decided to submit the question to a vote of the club at the annual meeting, and an article to that effect will be placed in the warrant.

**Company K Fall.**  
Company K will hold its annual ball in the armory, Friday evening, Jan. 24. The committee in charge of the affair consists of Capt. Morrison, Lieut. Kincaid, Lieut. Whitney, Serg. Collett, Serg. Wright, Corp. Mohan and Private Phillips.

The reception committee will be Col. A. C. Drinkwater, Col. C. H. Porter, Hon. Asa French, Prof. C. A. Pitkin, Mr. E. E. Abernethy, Representative Will D. Mackay, Mr. L. Morrison, Mr. H. W. Davenport, Mr. George D. Willis, Mr. D. E. Wadsworth, Mr. L. H. Johnson.

Music will be furnished by Baldwin's Cade band, assisted by Harry Daggett, piano accompanist, of Boston. The entire program is to be T. D. Cook and the decorations will be done under the direction of Col. Beal of Boston.

Poisons engendered by food fermenting in a dyspeptic stomach are the direct cause of rheumatism, gout, bronchitis, liver and kidney complaints, asthma, pneumonia and many nervous ailments.

These results are prevented by the use of the Shaker Digestive Catalyst, a remedy discovered and prepared by the Shakers of Mount Lebanon, N. Y. It is itself a food and has power to digest other food taken with it. Thus it treats the diseased condition of the system, and it promptly and fresh strength and increase of weight soon follow. It is a powerful purgative, and immediately after eating, eases the pain and distress so dreaded by dyspeptics. Trial bottles—enough to prove its merit—10 cents.

**Laxol** is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

**Shawmut Spring Water** cures kidney and liver troubles.

The longest game of chess on record required between five and six hours to play. One player was in England and one in Australia, and the game was played by post.

**Anecdotes.**  
Hicks—"What in time did you want to know that a woman a third time for? She can't sing for four apples."  
Wicks—"I know that well enough. All I wanted to do was to keep the show going long enough to make Wiggins lose his train."—Boston Transcript.

Charlie Sorrello—Baw dove, I believe you married me for my money?  
Mrs. Sorrello—My dear, look in the glass and ask yourself if I could ever have married you for anything else.

Jones—"This chicken is fourteen years old."  
Smith—"How can you tell the age of a chicken?"  
Jones—"By the teeth."  
Smith—"By the teeth! Chickens don't have teeth."  
Jones—"But I have.—Crypp."

Young Sharpshins—"It says in this book, mamma, 'She has had reverses.' What does it mean when a woman has reverses?"  
Mrs. Sharpshins (with a world of meaning in her tone)—"It means, my dear, when a poor woman has to turn her best dress in order to make herself decent for church."

Stout lady (at street crossing, to policeman)—"Could you see me across the street, officer?"  
Policeman—"Sure, madam, I could see you in ten times the distance, alas.—London Tit-Bits."

**That Distress**  
In the stomach or feeling of fullness after eating is effectively relieved by Hood's Pills. They aid digestion and assimilation of food, move the bowels easily and prevent and cure Bilelessness, Torpid Liver, and Constipation. They are tasteless and do not grip or cause pain. Sold by druggists. 50 cents. Insist upon Hood's.

**In Your Blood**  
Is the cause of that tired, languid feeling which afflicts you at this season. The blood is impure and has become thin and poor. That is why you have no strength, no appetite, no sleep. Purify your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla, which will give you an appetite, tone your stomach and invigorate your nerves.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to keep, and they are the best of all. Of the 100,000 flowering plants now known to botanists 90 per cent. are colorless.

**Household Receipts.**  
**SWEET FRITTERS.** One pint of milk, three tablespoonfuls of sugar, two teaspoonfuls of flour, three stiffly beaten eggs, one-half of a teaspoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Drop in a kettle of hot lard or fry brown. Eat with sauce.  
**BREKFAST PIE.** Take two and a half pounds of the best part of a shin of beef that has been cut off of the bone lengthwise in this slices. Place a cup in the middle of a pie dish. Put in the slices of meat, rolling them, putting inside a bit of fat, with a little flour, moistened with water and plenty of seasoning, such as salt, black pepper, cayenne pepper, and three hard boiled eggs cut in slices. Make a good paste, using dripping instead of butter, and with it cover the top of the dish. Bake in a slow oven for two hours and a half.

**OVEN QUELLET.** Put the yolks of three small or two large eggs in a basin, season them with salt, pepper, and cayenne, add a couple of drops of lemon juice; open, drain, and mince six small or four large oysters, and mix in with the eggs. Add a tablespoonful of minced parsley, whip the whites of the eggs to a foam, and stir into the yolks thoroughly, fry delicately, and serve with a cut lemon.

**SHAKER INDIAN PUDDING.** Bring one quart sweet milk to a boil; to one half pint of cornmeal add cold milk to mix smooth, turn into the hot milk and let it thicken a little. Let this cool, then add a little salt, molasses and ginger to suit the taste and turn into a two quart dish and fill up with cold milk; bake two hours.

**Fatal Quarry Accident.**  
Richard Barry, foreman at John Cashman's quarry had a frightful fall Saturday afternoon from the effects of which he died a short time later.

The unfortunate man had been at work in the quarry cleaning off snow and when desiring to come up he caught hold of the hook on the fall and was hoisted up hanging by the neck. The hook was icy cold and that coupled with the weight of Mr. Barry so numbed his hands that when the top was reached and he had tried to twist himself onto the bank he lost his hold and fell back nearly a hundred feet below.

Other workmen hastened to his rescue and as there was still life in the body, it was placed on a sled and taken to E. J. Barry's drug store, where Dr. J. J. Barry, Dion and Ash were quickly summoned, the unfortunate man had breathed his last before they arrived, his death probably being due to internal injuries. The remains were taken in charge by Undertaker Brown.

Mr. Barry was about 46 years of age and resided at 74 West street. He leaves a widow and five children.

**The Question of the Day.**  
The Metropolitan County scheme—certainly is a scheme—is the burning question of the day, and at present draws into insignificance the Venezuelan boundary line dispute and the matter of the Panama Canal.

It is a scheme that had its origin in Marcus Cook's "Greater Boston lobby," which hobby was the original starting point from which sprang the Metropolitan District Commission, a commission whose labors have cost the state and its taxpayers "a pretty penny," and all to try and foist upon the people within a radius of ten or a dozen miles of Boston something they told the Commission at the hearings held they did not wish, and felt no responsibility for.

The Commission seems to have been composed of men with a far—Greater Boston—and, while not daring, in the face of the great opposition encountered at the hearings held to run which counter to the current of public opinion, yet go far as to attempt to drive in a Greater Boston entering wedge by advocating the formation of a Metropolitan County. Their action in the matter is a disgraceful and a disgraceful one.

These remarks mainly apply to the trade in grey granite, of which there is abundance in the State. The duties will scarcely permanently affect the exports from this country of red granite, of which practically we have the monopoly. The cost of the raw material in America is much less than with us, and where we have the monopoly.

It is in our cheaper labor, which even with the existing tariff, enables us to compete successfully with them. Besides the injurious effects of the new trade that will be produced on the yards where the raw material is manipulated, the quarries in our neighborhood must inevitably suffer severely, if some of them do not actually have to close. The profits which the wholesale dealers are making out of Scotch granite are very small, and have been diminishing with the result that they have taken up altogether, and in these circumstances, it will readily be seen that a very small disturbance of the equilibrium would turn the balance the wrong way.

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**Temperance.**  
Furnished for publication by the W. C. T. U.  
**The Liquor Business.**  
BY JOHN B. FINCH.  
What does the drink-shop manufacture? It has always manufactured drunkards, first, last, and all the time. A drink-shop keeper is a distinctly a drunkard maker as the man that makes shoes is a shoemaker. That is all he ever did make; that is all he ever will make. Show me a first-class sample of drink-shop work. Could you induce a liquor dealer to come up here and hold it up? What does he say? You say to him "you make drunkards." His very first excuse is, "I will not have any old drunkards hanging around me." If it is a good thing to make a drunkard, a drunkard must be a good thing after he is made.

Suppose the minister should come here and give you as a reason why his church should be endorsed, that he did not have any old Christians hanging around his prayer meetings. Would not that be a good advertisement for the Christian religion?

Go down the street. A new wagon is standing by the curb. You stop to admire it, and at last say, "I wonder who made it." "I did it," answers the wagon maker. You look at the man. How proud he is as he contemplates his finished work.

While visiting a country fair with a friend, I was standing by one of the stock pens looking at a calf. "Wonder who raised the calf?" said my friend. "I did," answered a farmer, standing by. As the farmer spoke he straightened up as much as to say, "I am proud of my work."

As you pass along the streets of our cities, you frequently see other work besides drinking, sitting on the curb or wallowing in the gutter. Stop and ask, "Whose job is this?" Will the drunkard makers defend their work? Can you separate a workman from his chips? If the liquor business is respectable its products must be respectable. The liquor business has its own work and sets to meet and defend; this, and no more.

[To be continued]

**Removing Glass Stoppers.**  
The bottle stopper will not come out. It has become so fixed in the mouth of the bottle that no amount of pulling or twisting will move it. But here are some satisfactory methods of removing it without all that impatient jiggling. The most effectual plan is to wrap a rag wet with very hot water around the neck, and let it remain a few seconds. The heat will expand the neck of the bottle, and the stopper will be loosened. If the stopper is of the rubber variety, it can be easily removed. Or, wind a string one or two around the neck of the stopper, and holding the bottle between the knees, pull alternately on one end and then the other, thus creating friction and consequently heat. Or, a little camphine oil dropped between the neck and the stopper of the bottle will often loosen it so that it can be removed in a few minutes after applying it.

**Castle Square Theatre, Boston.**  
The third and last week of "Faust," began on Monday evening last, before an overflowing house. It has been a most remarkable series of performances. Never before has it been possible for an opera company to present Gounod's masterpiece for three successive weeks, that honor has been reserved for the Castle Square Opera Company. For next week, Mr. Rose announces a production of another popular opera, one whose ballads have been played and sung in every home. It Trovatore is in many respects the equal of any grand opera, its music is beautiful and full of the vibrating emotions of human feeling. The avir chorus is perhaps the best-known number of any opera, and is frequently heard outside the theatre. For the 30th performance, which occurs on Tuesday evening Jan. 22, Mr. Rose announces a celebration entirely novel. Slips containing the repertoire of the company have been distributed to the theatre's patrons who designate their favorite opera and the act which they wish to see. These slips are received at the theatre and a record kept of the votes. The performance on Tuesday evening, Jan. 22, will consist of the opera, an act from each, and the music of the entire evening. Trovatore, there will be given a season of Gilbert and Sullivan operas which has been decided to devote several weeks to their production.

**Calendars.**  
We have received a very bright and cheerful calendar for 1896 from the United States Baking company of Boston. Mr. Harry Foster, youngest son of Mr. Rufus Foster formerly of Quincy, is connected with the large cracker firm.

Londoners spend \$6,000,000 a day.  
Last year the university of Chicago had 157 professors and 1587 students.

A fallen encyclopaedia has been found to date 480 in length.  
The island of Formosa contains a tea trade of 20,000,000 pounds a year.

Last year the sheep in this country grew 307,100,000 pounds of wool.  
Wheeled vehicles were in use long before the beginning of the Christian era.

London has 75,000 street lamps, Paris 50,000 and New York 25,000.  
Aluminum is the only metal which violates the law of gravitation.

The silverware of Queen Victoria in Windsor castle is valued at \$12,500,000.  
About 400,000,000 pounds of soap are used in Britain yearly.

Upon an average 200,000 checks pass in New York in a single day.

**Hard Work**  
wear and tear, and hurry-up, will in time wear out the best human engine. The weakest link in life's chain is the measure by which human capacity must be restricted. A Backache may indicate that the weak link is found. When the back aches, it's a sign of internal disorder—tired Kidneys.

**Baker's Kidney Pills**  
will right the wrong—cure the Backache by removing the cause. These pills are not pain killers, but pain removers—they contain no narcotics or alcohol, being made of selected vegetable drugs. Druggists sell the pills for 50 cents. Book about Kidney trouble and Backache, free.

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## LIGHT AND SHADOW.

You who judge by what you see,  
Often fail to judge aright;  
Stars are shining solemnly,  
In the day as in the night;  
All the day they lie concealed  
By the glory of the sun,  
But at eve they stand revealed  
In the azure, one by one.

So the daylight of a smile  
May veil the human face  
Hiding for a little while  
Doubt and care and sorrow's trace;  
So, when shadow clouds of woe  
O'er a happy face arise,  
Still beneath the shadows glow  
Stars of joy in gentle eyes.

Life is arched with changing skies,  
Rarely are they what they seem;  
Smiles we have, and also sighs—  
Much we know, but more we dream;  
Look beneath the outward show,  
To the shadow or the light,  
And from what you rarely know  
Learn to see and judge aright.

—Exchange.

## EXCHANGE OF ROLES.

All his life Charlie Stanhope had been quite ready to admit that his morals were somewhat faulty. Sometimes he admitted it genially, sometimes with a mild self reproach, but always with the air of being quite irresponsible for his failings, and indeed he was one of those men whom scarcely any one judges hardly. Good looks, a pleasant smile, an easy affectionateness and a generous hand are excellent covers for very serious faults if a too fervid liking for the good things of this life, including wine and women, is to be counted among them.

"Hang it, you know, a pretty woman can always make a fool of me," he used to acknowledge, "and I positively can't help it. Lillian knows it too." Lillian was Mrs. Stanhope, and she certainly had abundant reason to know it. Charlie had married her in a fit of infatuation for her beauty and amid the ominous prophecies of their friends as to their future happiness, and if the husband and wife had been philanthropically inclined they might have had the satisfaction of knowing that they still afforded a thrilling topic of conversation to their social circle.

In the course of five years of married life there had been much for Lillian to forgive, and Charlie had a habit of suddenly confessing himself to her and receiving absolution for his sins, under the shadow of which for a month he would live irreproachably, forswear his club, going to no supper parties and escorting his wife to afternoon calls and reverting altogether to the land-band-lover of their honeymoon. In very truth it is not too much to say that he loved and respected his wife above any living creature; only it was not in his nature to be faithful to any woman.

"You are a saint, Lillian, my pure white lily," he often said in his fits of remorse, "and I'm a black brute, not fit to kiss the hem of your dress."

And he thoroughly believed it, too, for the time being. So when one morning he came down to breakfast and opened and read a certain letter that was lying on his plate he only experienced a furious anger against the author of it. It was written in a hand awkwardly sloped the wrong way and obviously feminine, and bore the ominous signature, "A Well Wisher," and contained nothing but the usual age and course of attack upon his wife, coupling her name with that of a man who had just been notoriously expelled from a smart club for cheating at cards. Charlie's handsome face flushed darkly, and he muttered a savage oath under his breath.

"What devils these women are! Can't they even leave Lillian alone? She, of all women in the world, to be written of so! It's that jade, Maud Bellair, I'm certain. She has never forgiven me for refusing to introduce her to Lillian. Well, I may be a blackguard myself, but my wife shall never speak to such women. She must never know of it. It would half kill her, and if I showed it to her she might, perhaps, think I suspected her. I suspect Lillian! Great heavens, what would the world be coming to and to couple her name with Hugh Dacre's! It's a pity she didn't try to invent something a little more probable."

His faith in his wife was not shaken for an instant. No devout worshiper would think of detroning his pure, white idol because some miscreant throws a cloud of dirt at it, but the words of the letter fascinated him, as things impossible and monstrous do, and he was so absorbed in it that he did not heed a footstep coming through the open door, and started violently when a hand was laid on his arm and Lillian's voice said:

"Whatever are you scowling at so ferociously?"

"Oh, nothing of any consequence—a stupid letter," he said confusedly, trying to scramble it up; but his wife put her finger on it.

"Are you so anxious I shouldn't see it?" she said reproachfully.

"It isn't what you think at all, Lil," he said, guessing her suspicions. "It's not a letter from a woman—at least—I mean it's of no importance."

"Let me see it, then," she persisted gently, trying to draw it away.

"Oh, don't read it, dear. It's an abominable, shameful letter! I wouldn't have you pollute your eyes by reading it," he said, taken off his guard. "I entreat you not to read it!"

"Why, you must think I am something more than a woman to refrain after that," said Mrs. Stanhope, smiling as she drew it from his reluctant fingers.

She was a very lovely woman, slender and fair, with pathetic gray eyes and a serenely sad mouth, and the smile gave just the last touch her beauty wanted.

"Don't think I heed it for an instant! I know well enough who's done it," said Charlie nobly, but she held up her hand for silence, as he quickly read the sheet. He could see her eyes traveling from line to line; could see a flush quickly rise to her forehead, and as swiftly change to whiteness.

"Ah, Lil, my darling! I knew you

could not stand it; I oughtn't to have let you read it," he said, catching at her as she swayed slightly, but she freed herself and stood facing him, with parted lips.

"Then you don't believe it?" she said slowly.

"Believe it! My God, what a question from you to me! My queen, my saint! As if I'd believe all the world against you!" he broke out, passionately.

"I've been a bad lot myself, but do you think I don't know a good woman when I find one?"

"You'd believe me against all the world," she echoed, "but if I joined the world against myself what would you believe then?"

"I don't know what you mean. Don't jest on such a subject, and, trust me, I'll make the woman who wrote those lies smart for it."

"But they are not lies," said Lillian Stanhope slowly. "It is the simple truth."

He looked at her in utter bewilderment. What did she mean? What was she talking of? Was she out of her mind?

"You don't seem to understand," she said quietly. "Every word in that letter is true."

He did not answer, but still stood gazing at her. She had crossed over to the mantelpiece and stood with one elbow resting on it, her face turned toward him. The sleeve of her morning wrapper had slipped down, and he could see the curve of her round, white arm.

Perhaps he would still have believed her if she had not suddenly smiled such a smile as he had never dreamt of on her face.

He did not know what he said—perhaps he only made some inarticulate cry—but he sank into a chair and hid his face in his hands from that look.

Neither of them spoke. It seemed to him that minutes were merging into eternity. The ticking of the clock on the mantelpiece was like the strokes of a hammer on his brain. His heart seemed shrinking under the touch of red-hot iron.

Lillian vile! Oh, it was incredible, impossible, some hideous dream!

He raised his head again to look at her. Surely a lifetime had passed since that smile, and yet the clock had only marked three minutes.

"I am glad you know," said his wife. "I was so tired of pretending to be good."

And she stretched her arms as one laying down a heavy burden. "I wonder you have never guessed it before."

"Guessed it! I—I revered you too much to insult you by a thought."

"You mean virtue was my role, and it was for you to play sinner. Oh, you were too egotistical. You wanted always to play lead."

"Oh, what did it matter how much I sinned? I was never good. But you. You have been a saint in heaven to me."

"No woman is ever a saint, and remember, I have been your wife five years. I was good once, but your love has been a liberal education for me."

Her whole bearing seemed altered. The sweet sadness of the mouth had changed to mockery; her voice rang clear and hard. Every word struck home to his soul as nothing had ever done in the course of his gay, successful life.

"Then I have damned you and myself," he said hoarsely.

"Don't talk so primitively. We have been educated out of all that now," she answered. "There are hundreds of husbands and wives in our own case."

"But this man—Dacre"—he brought out the words as if they burned his lips. "You—yon can't love him?"

"She shrugged her shoulders carelessly. "Love? What does it mean? He was sufficiently amusing. Did you love Lady Fauncet, Miss Bellair—and but why extend the list?"

"? That is quite another thing. A man!" But he stopped short under the scorn of her eyes.

"What will you do? You can't divorce me. You could never appear in court with such a record as yours," she went on.

"I don't see, myself, why this would make any difference to us. We know the truth about each other now and can be mutually complacent."

The violence of such words on her lips was unbearable to him. He sprang up and caught her by both arms, studying every line of her face with savage intensity.

"Are you going to kill me?" she said, shrinking a little. "I did not take your confessions so tragically."

"I can't believe it. I can't understand it," he muttered. "You, who were worlds above me, to have sunk so much beneath me!"

"I think we are on a level footing now," she retorted. "Our sin is of the same quality."

"But I know myself for the blackguard I am, and you—oh, Lillian, don't you realize what is in for you?"

She shook her head slightly. A sudden hatred of him had sprung up in her, and instinctively she knew that nothing she could do or say would wring his heart as did her callous bearing.

He looked at her for an instant with despairing eyes and then caught her to him as if he would kiss her, but recoiled, and, losing her, dashed roughly from the room.—St. Paul's.

Seems to Be a Long Lived Set.

A list of the losses which the Royal society has suffered by death during the past year shows that the pursuit of science is not unfavorable to longevity.

The list comprises 19 fellows and seven foreign members, and the average lifetime of these 26 men was a fraction over 76½ years. The average age of the seven foreign members was 79 years and 5 months, the oldest being Franz Ernst Neumann, 97, and the youngest Henri Ernest Bailion, 67. The 19 fellows had an average lifetime of 75 years and 7 months, the oldest being Bisset Hargrave, 98, and the youngest George Edward Dobson, 47. The fellows were not all scientific men, one of them being Lord Aberdare, 80, and another, the Earl of Selborne, 83, but statesmanship and law also seem to favor length of days.—London News.

## WOMAN'S WORLD.

## HOW SUZANNE KEYSER WON THE MEDAL AT THE INSTITUT RUDY.

Young Old Maids—Discrimination Against Women—A Successful Woman Barber. Ideal Dress of the Working Woman. The Limit of Women's Work.

Philadelphia has many people and many things to be proud of, but it is not generally known that one of its fair daughters has won such distinction as has never before fallen to the lot of an American. This young woman, not yet 22 years of age, is Miss Suzanne Keyser, the daughter of Mr. Charles S. Keyser, the well known lawyer. So quietly has she reaped her unusual honors that few outside of the circle of her most intimate acquaintances are aware that she, an American born and English speaking maiden, went to France, and in Paris, its literary and artistic center, won the medal for dramatic ability at the Institut Rudy against at least 800 competitors, all of whom were French.

How she won the medal which never before has crossed the ocean is told by her in a bright, pleasing fashion, essentially girlish and very winning in its utter absence from any trace of egotism.

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notably in this regard "the old order changeth, giving place to new."

Maidens who have passed their thirtieth year may now claim that they represent the most perfect and advanced type of maidenhood and look down upon girls who marry before 25 as very much more akin to savages, for it is a well known fact that the age of marriage advances with civilization. Among the Australians and other savages girls marry at 11, 10 or even 9 years of age; among semicivilized Egyptians, Hindus, etc., the age is from 12 to 14; southern Europeans marry their girls between the ages of 15 and 18, while among the nations who lead modern civilization the age is a constantly rising one—from 17 or 18 of 50 years ago the average has risen to between 21 and 25. And does it not follow, by inexorable logic, that girls who wait until 28 or 30 are forerunners of a still higher civilization?

It is not only a fact that women marry later in life than they used, but it is equally true that everywhere the more mature woman is to be found. The young and inexperienced bud has ceased to be the reigning queen of the hour. She has been forced to yield her place to the mature woman, the woman of cultivated mind and manners, of broader experience and wider knowledge.

All this is only the natural result of evolution. With her deeper interests, wider outlook, enlarged sympathies, she scarcely feels the relentless march of the years, and with all the new light upon her physical care and condition she can easily look as young as she feels. Ronge pots, wigs and hair dyes have happily gone their way, and fresh air, exercise, baths and diet have taken their place.—New York Sun.

Discrimination Against Women.

It is not difficult to find an excuse for the refusal of the men of Massachusetts to give the ballot to women. So long as the masses of female citizens of that or any other state are indifferent on the suffrage question their fathers, husbands and brothers will not insist on loading them with political burdens or duties.

This may or may not be the best policy, but it harmonizes with human nature and is likely to stand. The advocates of equal suffrage should see, in recent events in New York and Massachusetts, that their work lies among the women; that a desire for the ballot on the part of a majority of the women is a condition precedent to their getting it. Appeals to legislatures, to constitutional conventions and to party conventions will have little effect while the women remain in a don't care state of mind.

But the fact that the women of Massachusetts do not vote except for school officers is not a good reason for discriminating against them in public employments. Indeed their exclusion from any participation in making laws, assessing taxes and deciding what amounts of money shall be expended for this, that and the other purpose ought to inspire the voters and their official agents with a desire and purpose to carefully guard the rights and interests of the nonvoting sex. But it does not appear to have done so. On the contrary the women in all parts of the state are treated unfairly in the one public employment in which they are and always have been conspicuously successful—that of a teacher.

Justice demands that a woman be paid the same wages as a man for teaching in the public schools. It is not just to pay women only \$48 per month for work in public schools for which men receive \$128.—Exchange.

A Successful Woman Barber.

Mrs. Anne Howard has opened a barber shop near the Brooklyn bridge, where all the work is done by women—done most delicately and delightfully.

"I believe it would be a good idea to have a couple of colored women to polish boots, too," she said to a New York reporter. "As soon as men get over the strangeness of it they like to have a woman take care of them. I learned how to shave out west, where most of the new ideas come from these days. I have two shops in Chicago that are doing a good business. In one of them, while I was working there with four others just before coming east, we took in \$125 a week, and the business is growing."

"I am going to open a shop in New York before long—that is, as soon as I am well started here. Rents are so much higher over there in any location that I should care to have that I thought I had better be settled in Brooklyn first. My trade here is better every day. Wednesday and Saturday I am very busy. I shall have two more women here within a week or ten days. Of course it isn't as easy to find really good women barbers as it is to find men, but I know so many that I shall not have any trouble."

"The men in this business don't like the idea at all, and every now and then I receive anonymous letters from some man barber or other. All I have to say for the writers is that while they were writing they were not doing anything else, and that they haven't done me any harm."

Philadelphia has a college for barbers, where women are admitted. Some of the better take Mrs. Howard as an example and start out for themselves.—Philadelphia Press.

Ideal Dress of the Working Woman.

Mrs. Martha Strickland is not only a lawyer and a lecturer on parliamentary law, but a warm advocate of physical culture and correct dress. This talented woman, who is yet young and charming and graceful, carries out her ideas regarding correct dress in an artistic and picturesque way that is decidedly pleasing, even to very fastidious people.

In appearance she is of medium height and plump. Her face is full, the expression pleasant, with a mouth and chin that denote firmness and strength. Her eyes are of deep blue and light up with animation when she talks. Recently when asked to give her idea of the working woman's costume she said:

"The ideal dress of the working woman would banish the skirt, but even if such abolition were possible we would desire for all other occasions to retain the skirt. The masculine idea in feminine dress is one which is thoroughly repulsive. It is true men's dress is more convenient than that of women, but this is its sole advantage, for it is hopelessly ugly, and why women should imitate it in any respect I cannot imagine. They have not adopted its utilitarian features, but have taken those which are most undesirable. Naturally the corset is an obstacle in the way of dress improvement, by wearing loose, plain waists, which is a slovenly fashion, not an artistic one. It was a bad expression of a good kind, and the corseted figure has this advantage, that it is a good expression of a bad kind. So we prefer the smooth fitting corseted waist of the two, for we all like skill."—New York World.

The Limit of Women's Work.

Now come the questions, What should be the limit of women's work? Where should they draw the line? That, at any rate, it is safe to answer. "At that point where their work ceases to do good." As soon as a woman feels she is in a position in which the best and noblest of men cease to look upon her with reverence, then she may be sure she has overstepped the limits of womanly dignity and reserve, and that there her influence will not be pure, elevating and noble.

There is plenty of real work for all of us to do beyond the sphere of home, in the fields of art, science and literature, and also, like Florence Nightingale and many other brave women, as nurses and comforters of the sick, the wounded and the dying.

Women's influence is sometimes said to be greater now than in past times. It is more palpable certainly, but I doubt whether more potent, for, as we know well for centuries, the hand that rocked the cradle ruled the world. The difference is that nowadays women are not content to work quietly as mere wire pullers. Instead they like to see and be seen, and to have the credit of their deeds.

The old idea was that "men must work and women must weep," but the newer idea that women should work, too, according to their talents and opportunities, seems more rational and healthy, and is calculated to



## OVER THE MOONLIT SEA.

Words and Music by GEO. M. VICKERS.



Tempo di Valse.

1. O - ver the waves of the deep, mys - tic o - cean, O - ver the mur - mur - ing sea,.....  
 2. Oft when the bright moon a - bove us was beam - ing, Hap - py westrolled by the sea,.....



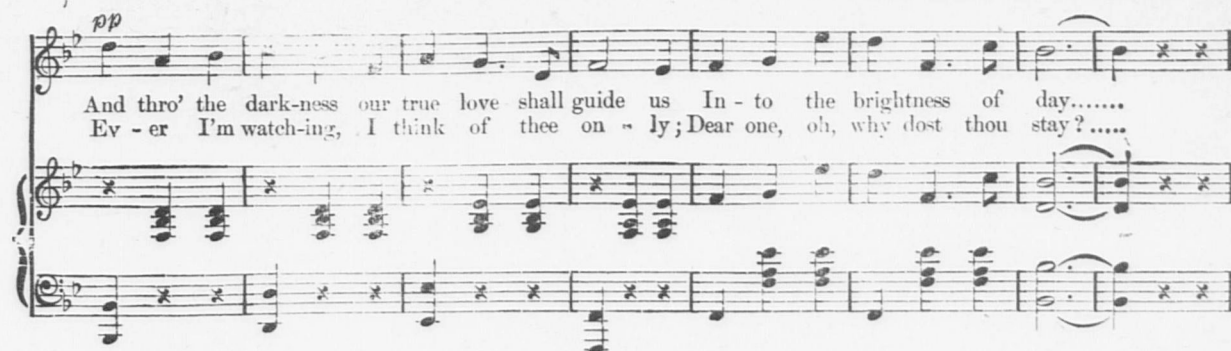
Comes a sweet mes - sage that thrills with e - mo - tion, Some one is think - ing of me.....  
 Then was my heart of a fair fu - ture dream - ing, Dream - ing of love and of thee.....



Tho' the dark wa - ters to - night, love, di - vide us, Bright lies the moon's sil - ver way,.....  
 Now on the strand I am wan - der - ing lone - ly, Vain - ly I try to be gay,.....



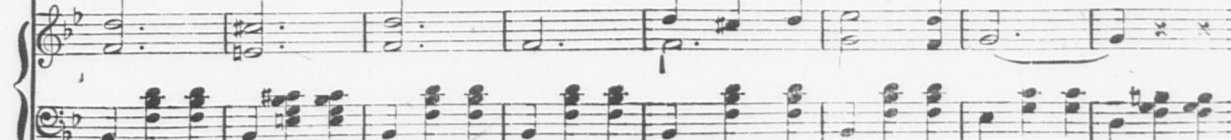
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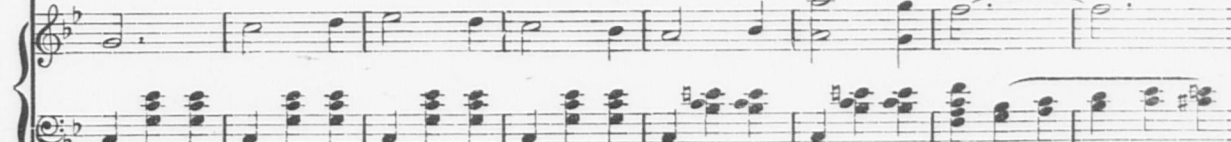
## REFRAIN.

Tempo di Valse.

Come, love! Come, love! O - ver the moon - lit sea;.....



Sad, wea - ry, here's I wait, O love come back to me!.....



Come, love! Come, love! O - ver the moon - lit sea!.....



Still I wait thy voice to hear, Thy lov - ing smile to see.....



Over the Moonlit Sea.

## St. John's Anniversary.

The St. John C. L. & A. A., must have a larger hall, as its present quarters are too small to accommodate its many friends. St. John's hall Tuesday night was crowded when the twelfth anniversary of the association was celebrated.

Among the guests were noticed Mayor Adams, Rev. F. A. Friguglietti, Rev. F. A. Cunningham, Rev. John J. Garrity, H. W. Lull, Superintendent of Schools; Frederic Allison Tupper, head master of High school; Charles A. Foster; Frank F. Prescott, city editor of DAILY LEDGER; F. F. Green; Edward Powers, president of the Hibernians; John A. Avery, chief ranger of the Foresters; Dr. J. M. Sheahan, W. T. Shea, Dr. J. H. Ash, Postmaster Burke, John T. Cavanagh, D. E. Wadsworth, J. C. Dorgan, and J. J. McAnarney.

After music by an orchestra, Mr. C. A. Ryan of Charlestown was introduced and gave a lecture on Rome, illustrated by the stereopticon. The views were particularly clear and good, but Mr. Ryan had been substituted for Dr. Supple late in the afternoon and was not as familiar with the lecture, and was also not in good voice.

President George A. Cahill made a short address, practically an abstract of the sketch of the society which follows.

The reverend fathers were not present at this point and Mayor Adams was introduced. He believed that a society of this kind, which developed the physical and mental powers of its members, was productive of good in a community. He spoke words of encouragement.

The entertainment which followed, included a solo by Miss Curtis; selection by the Young Ladies' quartette, Misses Eleanor and Annie Roche, Misses Mary and Fannie McNally. Recitation, Miss Katherine Meany; violin solo, Mr. John Lyons; song, Daniel Padula; comic sketch, Mr. Henry Biganess; solo, Mr. William Short; song by Miss Roche and remarks by Rev. Fr. Cunningham and Rev. Fr. Friguglietti.

The musical programme was arranged by Miss E. McNally and Miss Margaret Garrity was accompanist.

The special guests and those who were to remain for the dancing were invited to go below, where sandwiches, ice cream, cake and coffee were served.

Dancing commenced about 10.30 and was continued until 3 A. M., in charge of President Cahill and competent aids.

During a lull in the dancing, Signor Galen Vinton Bowditch sang the "Star

Spangled Banner," and was liberally applauded. Mr. Short, too, in response to the dancer's request, gave his famous "Paradise Alley."

The reception committee were Rev. F. A. Cunningham, George A. Cahill, Richard A. Cole, John F. Foley, Timothy J. Carey, John P. Mundy, Michael White, Thomas J. McGrath, John W. Walsh, John Sullivan, Miss A. S. Gavin, Miss Frances Talbot, Miss Nellie O'Brien, Miss Margaret O'Hara, Miss Kittie Walsh and Miss Jennie Walsh.

The anniversary committee were Rev. F. A. Cunningham, Miss Eliza C. Sheahan, Miss Mary McNally, Timothy J. Carey and Thomas J. McGrath.

**Sketch of Society**  
 The following is from a sketch of the society in the current issue of the Quincy Monitor:

Early in the month of January, 1884, the idea originated with the Rev. A. F. Roche that an association composed of the Catholic young men of the parish ought to be organized. He finally consulted with a few young men and explained the advantages to be derived from such an association. The suggestion was quickly impressed on the minds of these young men, and immediately a meeting of all the Catholic young men of the parish was called, and on the 14th of January, 1884, about one hundred young men answered to the call, and met in the basement of St. John's church. An organization was effected and from that date the association has taken an upward course, until today it has a membership of 125. At this meeting a committee was appointed to draw up a constitution, and to report the same to the next meeting.

On the 21st of January another meeting was held, and the committee brought in a report of constitution, and after a few changes were made it was adopted. The preamble to the constitution states the objects, which are the advancement of the members, morally, mentally and physically; and the name of the St. John's Catholic, Literary and Athletic association was adopted.

Rev. A. F. Roche was chosen director of the association, and it was by his untiring energy, and under his zealous and watchful care, his wise and able counsel, that the association steered clear of shoals and quicksands, and sailed on a smooth and unruffled sea. And while his wise counsel was always needed, the members also acted in a manner entirely creditable, remembering always that they were Catholics and living according to Catholic teachings, and also upholding the principles of its con-

stitution, and strictly adhering to the article which requires the members to attend Holy Communion in a body twice a year. The perpetuation of the association was thus assured.

The present hall of the society was built in 1885. Rev. F. A. Cunningham is the present director.

## Won Handsomely.

Team C of the Wollaston Bowling club defeated team A, 2200 to 2112 plus a handicap of 30, which the victorious team allowed the vanquished one, Harry M. Fairbanks was high on totals, 478, and also on singles, 176.

## The score:

| TEAM C.          |     |     |          |
|------------------|-----|-----|----------|
| E. A. Lyman,     | 161 | 157 | 143-461  |
| W. O. Parker,    | 158 | 145 | 122-425  |
| W. H. Dewson,    | 149 | 154 | 158-461  |
| C. M. Bryant,    | 170 | 133 | 154-457  |
| V. J. Emery,     | 157 | 146 | 153-456  |
|                  | 785 | 735 | 730-2260 |
| TEAM A.          |     |     |          |
| E. S. Taylor,    | 133 | 126 | 152-411  |
| J. F. Emery,     | 135 | 102 | 122-419  |
| E. F. Taylor,    | 122 | 134 | 130-386  |
| C. F. Briggs,    | 128 | 147 | 143-418  |
| H. M. Fairbanks, | 142 | 176 | 160-478  |
|                  | 680 | 745 | 707-2142 |

## W. R. C. New Officers.

The following officers of Paul Revere Woman's Relief Corps were installed Tuesday evening by Past Department President, Mrs. Augusta A. Wales, of Dorchester. President, — Mrs. Almada L. Gourd. Senior Vice, — Mrs. Angie D. Lord. Junior Vice, — Mrs. Fannie Newcomb. Treasurer, — Mrs. Laura E. Holt. Conductor, — Mrs. Henrietta Gourd. Guard, — Mrs. Mary Alden. Assistant conductor, — Mrs. Blanche Lillierap.

Assistant guard, — Mrs. Holton. At the conclusion of the ceremonies, Mrs. Isabelle Souther, the retiring president, was presented with a gold badge by the installing officer in behalf of the members of the corps, and Mrs. Wales was in turn presented with a bouquet of red roses by the incoming officers.

A collation and remarks by the Department President and others closed the meeting.

—The Weymouth Union National has elected as president, G. H. Bicknell; vice-president, E. P. Worcester; treasurer, H. A. Nash; directors, J. P. Lovell, B. S. Lovell, F. D. Thayer, Francis Ambler, G. J. Richards and T. H. Humphrey.

## No Dudes Wanted.

To the Editors of the Patriot:

In your issue of the 9th inst. there appeared an article signed by "R," relative to the appointment of a Commissioner of Public Works, and advocating the selection of a city graduate of some technical school. I will remind the author of the communication that while an educational training is an excellent qualification for such a position, a man who will make a successful Commissioner of Public Works must also be possessed of practical experience in building roads and be familiar with a diversity of other perplexing business problems connected with the office.

Our first Mayor experimented with an educated dude in such a capacity and it was a signal failure.

A man of unerring judgment in business affairs is needed in this position, one who will select such foremen as will require the men under their charge to attend strictly to the city's work and not spend their time in drinking intoxicating liquor and recovering from its effects. I refer to this because, if reports were true, a most disgraceful condition of affairs prevailed at Squantum when the city's employees were at work there. Loafing and drinking were indulged in, parties left their labor, visited Boston, procured fresh supplies of intoxicants and returned to make drunk those who had remained behind. There were various kinds of disturbances and one of the men was so intoxicated that he was seized by his mandarin companions and placed in the tool-box and covered with coats in order to get him out of the sight of the Commissioner who was on the road approaching the scene. If what was true, and I do not doubt it, what kind of a foreman was there guarding (?) the city's interests?

A poem which was sent to me commemorating this hilarious occasion contained the following verses:

"It was after election the racket begun,  
 A friend of big Denno went after the rum,  
 Down to the corner, though it is far away,  
 With tax-payer's money to squander that way.

Will, Eaton came down the very next day  
 To talk with big Denno on the highway;  
 The tip it was given, I very well know,  
 It was into the tool-box his chum had to go.

When Denno came in he looked all around,  
 Half dead in the tool-box his chum was found;  
 He hugged and embraced him and put on his coat,  
 And tightened the buttons up close to his throat.

When tax-payers will hear this,  
 And voters likewise,  
 They will rise up in vengeance  
 And swear by the skies,  
 To the coming election they will flock, you know,  
 Then it's into some tool-box the rummies will go."

I am well aware that the men are not plenty who are capable of discharging the duties of the office of Commissioner of Public Works, the most important position in our municipality, but one thing is certain that whoever he may be, it should be emphatically stated and clearly understood that he is not to engage in any other business. The salary of \$2000 is ample to secure a first-class man, one who will be found early and late attending to his work. "R" remarks that "very few engineers are politicians and are backward in soliciting office." This may be so, but the rabble of the political wire-pullers soon teach them the art, especially if there is a \$2000 salary in the contest.

HENRY H. FAXON.

QUINCY, January 14, 1896.

## K. &amp; L. of H. Installation.

Woodbine lodge, No. 277, K. & L. of H., held its regular meeting in Brase hall, Wollaston, Tuesday evening. The principal business of the evening was the installing of the officers for the ensuing term, by D. D. G. P. L. C. Tibbets and suite of South Boston, in the following order:

P. P., — George W. Brown.  
 P., — George W. Bennett.  
 V. P., — Ellen A. Reed.  
 C., — Edith E. Neal.  
 Sec., — W. P. Chase.  
 F. S., — W. A. Battison.  
 Treas., — W. B. Gould.  
 Guide, — Fannie G. Lord.  
 Guardian, — J. F. Neal.  
 Sentinel, — J. C. Bates.

The grand officers, and a delegation from Maple lodge were present. After the ceremonies a fine collation was served, — and a social time enjoyed. All returned home feeling more than pleased with the evening's entertainment.

## New Officers.

The Quincy Paving and Edgestone Co. have elected these officers:

Clerk, — Clarence Hall of Portland.  
 Assistant Clerk and Treasurer, — Fred L. Badger.  
 Directors, — John Q. A. Field, George H. Hitchcock, E. F. Carr, John Cashman, P. T. Fallon, J. H. Elcock, W. R. Fagan, M. P. Wright, Fred L. Badger.

The new \$15,000 building for the Westford Academy will be of red brick and granite.

## Metropolitan Hearing.

Mr. William B. Rice, one of the Metropolitan District Commissioners, appeared on Tuesday at the informal hearing at the State House on the Metropolitan county report. In response to an invitation by Chairman Sprague he made a statement of the work of the commission and the considerations that had led it to make the report now before the Legislature. "The Commissioners do not feel it a part of their duty at this time," he said, "to press their report either on the people or the Legislature. The Commissioners, after full examinations and investigations, have made a report that is unanimous. We feel that many people have come to erroneous conclusions in regard to the recommendations we have made. Our report is not radical in its recommendations, as many think, nor do we ask that anything therein recommended be adopted before the people have a chance to pass upon it. In forming our conclusions and formulating our report we consulted the greatest benefit of the whole district."

During the hearing Mr. Forbes of Milton of the committee asked Chairman William B. Rice if he could assure the people of these outlying municipalities that this was not a step toward a closer union, a greater Boston. Mr. Rice replied that he could. "It is not an entering wedge," he said, "but it will on the contrary blunt any other entering wedge." He thought the adoption of this plan would be the end of a greater Boston.

There was objection to placing the Metropolitan water system under county control, and Mr. Rice did not favor taking it from the Water Board. Did not think new county would suffer if it looked after its parks, etc.

Another hearing will be given next Tuesday at 10 A. M.

## Bicycle Company Organized.

A second meeting of those interested in incorporating the Quincy Cycle Co. was held Jan. 10th, at the rooms of the Quincy & Boston street railway. Rupert F. Clafin presided and W. L. Ripley acted as secretary. By-laws were adopted, after which it was voted to organize, which was done, the following officers being elected:

President, — Eben W. Sheppard.  
 Clerk, — W. L. Ripley.  
 Treasurer, — John O. Hall.  
 Directors, — Rupert F. Clafin, Clarence Burgin, John Swithin, W. L. Ripley, Eben W. Sheppard.

It was announced that all but \$8,500 of the capital stock had been subscribed.

## The Late Adam O. Brown.

Mr. Adam O. Brown of Neponset, formerly a well-known and respected citizen of Wollaston, died at the City Hospital, Boston, of accidental poisoning Wednesday, January 8. The deceased was very prominently identified with the local order of the Carpenter's union for a number of years and was very much interested in the labor question. He often represented the local union in the Mass. District Council and was appointed to a number of prominent positions in the interest of his fellow workmen. After the local union had dissolved a year ago, he became a member of Union number 33, Boston, and was chosen as a delegate to represent the same at the convention of the Mass. District Council at the time of his death.

He was also a member of the Kai Ihs of Honor lodge, 926, of Wollaston, and was very much esteemed in the lodge.

He served in the U. S. navy on board the ship "Alaska," from 1872 to 1877 and at the time of his honorable discharge he was a commissioned officer. He contracted the small pox in Bordeaux, France, and was transferred to the Brooklyn Marine hospital where his time expired and he received his honorable discharge at the conclusion of his sickness.

He wrote many interesting stories of actual sea-life for the N. Y. World and other papers and magazines and also a number of articles on socialism and labor questions of all kind under the name of "Workingman."

He was buried at Mt. Wollaston, on Friday of last week. His age was forty-six years and he leaves a widow and one child.

## Odd Fellows' Installation.

The new officers of Manet encampment, I. O. O. F., were installed at the last meeting, as follows:

C. P., — W. H. Cobb.  
 S. W., — Hiram W. Campbell.  
 H. P., — Aubrey R. Keith.  
 J. W., — Alex. Shirley.  
 S., — Frank W. Folsom.  
 T., — Edward B. Souther.  
 O. S., — N. B. Farnald.  
 I. S., — James W. Arbuckle.  
 1st W., — T. Walter Godd.  
 2d W., — Arthur W. Woodward.  
 3d W., — Reuben Townsend.  
 4th W., — George W. Hawes.  
 F. G. of T., — Charles A. Gragg.  
 S. G. of T., — F. B. Gould.  
 Trustee for three years, — N. B. Farnald.

—Yauing's drug store at Holbrook was entered by burglars Tuesday night and about \$300 of goods carried off.







# The Quincy Patriot.

QUINCY, SATURDAY, JAN. 25, 1896.

## Hospital Annual.

The annual meeting of the Quincy City Hospital corporation was held Monday evening at the residence of Dr. J. A. Gordon, President William B. Rice presiding. The first business after the records of the previous meeting had been read was the election of officers, which resulted as follows:

Chairman—Warren W. Adams.  
Trustees—William B. Rice, John H. Gilbert, M. D.; John A. Gordon, M. D.; Timothy Reed, M. D.; Charles H. Potter, M. D.; James F. Burke, M. D.; W. C. Corbitt and A. A. Lincoln.  
The report of the trustees and treasurer was then read.

These reports showed the number of patients admitted during the year to have been 197, an increase of about 100 over the previous year. Of this number 179 had been discharged, 7 had died, and 11 remained.

During the year Dr. George B. Rice of the medical staff had resigned, and Dr. Homer Clark had been elected to the staff. The head nurse, Miss Grace Beattie, had also resigned to go to Brockton. The following nurses had been graduated: Mrs. Mary Wood, Miss Martha F. Anderson, Miss Lucy N. G. Hernan, and Miss Margaret F. Ross.

The trustees intended to petition the Legislature to amend the city charter, so that the city may contribute a larger sum than heretofore.

The total receipts from all sources were \$14,877.55; less debt of \$5,700, leaving the net receipts \$9,177.55, and the expenditures \$12,869.30. Deficit of \$3,691.75.

## The statement of the endowment fund was as follows:

|                          |                    |
|--------------------------|--------------------|
| Invested in real estate, | \$15,654.65        |
| Mortgage on real estate, | 5,000.00           |
| Mortgage on real estate, | 3,000.00           |
| Loan to general account, | 4,200.00           |
| Uninvested,              | 7,609.85           |
| <b>Total,</b>            | <b>\$34,464.50</b> |

Upon motion of Dr. Gordon, it was voted to insert the following amendment in the call for the next meeting: "That the annual meeting shall be held on the Wednesday following the second Monday in January."

## Knights of Columbus.

Tuesday evening was the regular meeting of the Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus, and a large number of brothers were present. The meeting was very successful and being dispatched in good order but when the council came to the consideration of new business, Bro. James F. Burke was recognized. Bro. Burke gave a review of the council from its institution in 1884 to the present time, citing the many troubles that beset and threatened to thwart the efforts of the small band of early knights to place the body upon a solid basis. The success of the council was largely due to the spirit of sacrifice and the operation of the first Grand Knight John W. McAnaney. The council owed him a debt, and they could conceive of no better form than that which they had chosen. The cardinal principles of the order were but a part of the nature of the past grand knight, and he hoped and felt assured that the helpfulness displayed in an official capacity would not now be lessened because he had been relegated to the ranks. Bro. Burke then presented the McAnaney with a Past Grand Knight's chain.

Bro. McAnaney in responding thanked all for their valuable gift. He said that he regarded membership, much more than office, in their society, as one of the real pleasures, and to find that his services were appreciated to the extent shown by their testimonial was most gratifying. Words would fail him on an occasion like this, and if his words were inadequate, they were at least the expression of his heart. He gathered the full import of his simple thanks. Bro. McAnaney then told the council that in pursuance of an intention formed upon his retirement from office, he would invite all the members to meet him at the Greenleaf hall, Wednesday evening, Jan. 29.

The chairman presented Mr. McAnaney of solid gold, with raised symbols of the order, inlaid with four sparkling diamonds. The head and mark are of platinum. It is a little larger than regular size and was made by Williams, the Boston jeweler. The chain was passed to the inspection of the members, and it was declared by all to be a handsome sample of the jeweler's handiwork.

On the completion of the presentation cigars were lighted and a social hour enjoyed by the council, Bros. Shay and White giving vocal and instrumental numbers.

## Verdict for \$1,925.

A verdict was reached Monday in the Superior court at Dedham in the case of Stephen Nagle vs. the city of Quincy, the jury giving Mr. Nagle \$1,925. This verdict was thrown from his pig in February, 1894, on Washington street by a bridge of snow and received injuries from which he has never recovered. In the court while on the stand he had a spell which may have influenced the jury some. J. W. McAnaney and Peter Dalley appeared for Mr. Nagle, and P. R. Blackman as city solicitor.

It is said Mr. Nagle offered to settle for \$1,000, but that the best offer of the city was but \$300.

We are informed however that no such offer was made to the city solicitor. In fact, under the circumstances, it would not have been advisable to compromise for any sum whatever. Accordingly the testimony of the accident to Mr. Nagle was caused by the high ridge of snow thrown up by the street railway company in clearing its track and the city authorities now propose to recover the amount of the judgment from the company in a suit at law. If the case had been compromised it is clear that the claim against the company would have been given up.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wing and Mrs. Emeline R. Wentworth of Quincy were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper B. Wentworth of Brockton, on Wednesday evening. Among the other invited guests present were Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bean of Dorchester, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Mears and Miss Christabelle Mears of Chelsea, Mr. and Mrs. James I. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. John J. McNe of South Boston. The evening was spent in the usual pleasant manner and a most sumptuous repast was served late in the evening. Mr. William H. Mears of Chelsea acted as toast-master and also related to the ladies an amusing incident entitled "My experience with chicken food." The company broke up at a late hour after enjoying a very pleasant evening.

There was a large attendance at the entertainment given at the Swedish Lutheran church Thursday evening and the entertainment which was of high order was greatly enjoyed. The programme consisted of choruses by the choir; duet, by the Misses Witting; piano solo, by Mrs. Andrew Nelson; baritone solo, by Fritz Swanson; violin and piano duet, by Mrs. Charles Gullstedt and Mrs. Andrew Nelson; violin and piano duet, by Mrs. Charles Gullstedt and Mrs. Andrew Nelson; violin and piano duet, by Mrs. Charles Gullstedt and Mrs. Andrew Nelson.

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## CITY BRIEFS.

Not an appointment yet.

Sleigh parties are numerous.

Miss Hubbard's bargains.

Division 4, A. O. U. W., will hold a dance in February.

Mayor Adams returned from New York Wednesday afternoon.

No more Council meetings this month unless a special is called.

Mrs. F. S. Davis of Elm street is reported as being out of danger.

Regular meeting of the School Committee next Tuesday evening.

New books have just been issued by the New England Telephone Company.

A sleigh party from Whitman had supper Tuesday evening at the Quincy House.

The annual meeting of the Swedish Lutheran church will be held January 29.

Charles H. Johnson has been appointed a justice of the peace and notary public.

A break in the machinery in Cook & Watkins' yards obliged a shut down Tuesday.

Another new store is being erected on Water street opposite Smith's polishing shop.

Captain Charles N. Hunt has been appointed a deputy by the Fish and Game Commission.

There is a bill in the Legislature to prohibit all sports and public diversions except of a patriotic nature, on Memorial day.

The authorities should take some action toward putting a stop to that nuisance around the old court room building.

Alfred Pined of Quincy preached before the Christadelphians in Mystic hall, Brockton, Sunday morning on "Death Destroyed: the Devil Dead."

Rumor has it that Henry H. Faxon is preparing another bombshell in which he will give the past record of the members of the permanent and special police.

The Board of Health reported three new cases of diphtheria Tuesday, two adults one at Wollaston and one in Ward One, and one child in Ward Four.

Teasurers who are sledding granite now find it necessary to carry a shovel, that they may cover the street railway tracks with snow previous to crossing.

The insurance office of W. Porter & Co., which for forty or more years has been at No. 27 State street, Boston, has been removed to No. 82 Water street.

Saturday's LEXER will be a new story paper with its social realm, and reports of the High School reunion, and balls of Co. K and Street Railway employees.

The invitations and tickets issued to the members of the Faxon guards for the banquet tendered them by Henry H. Faxon bear an excellent picture of that gentleman.

The J. F. McDonald Comedy Co., will present the Irish Comedy "Handy Andy" and the farce, "The Irish Justice" at Hancock hall Wednesday evening, Jan. 25.

Miss Belle Paterson has moved from her former location and has opened her millinery parlors in the Wilson house, a part of which is occupied by Mr. Parsons, the custom tailor.

The members of the choir of the Universalist church visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert B. Woodman at their new home in Braintree, Wednesday evening, and presented them with half a dozen silver tea spoons.

The only ticket at the annual meeting of the Quincy Yacht club promises to be the most popular, for which there are candidates, George Crane and William C. Harrison. Australian ballots have been printed.

Francis L. Souther camp, S. of V., is arranging for its annual masquerade to be held early in February. It is understood that the Fidelity Ladies' orchestra will furnish music.

Mrs. John Hall celebrated her 80th birthday, Monday, at her home on Granite street. During the day she was visited by a large number of friends and relatives and made the recipient of many beautiful gifts which were highly appreciated.

George Berry of Granite lodge and Thomas F. Ferguson of Main lodge M. U. L. O. O. F., attended the annual convention of the order Wednesday at Puritan hall, Boston. Delegates will be present from all over the United States.

On Saturday last Mr. Edward Myatt, champion checker player of the Q. & B. Street Railway car was defeated by Mr. Richard K. Forrest. During the progress of the game the lights failed to shine, and "Dickey" was declared champion.

The Boston Ideal Band, Mandolin and Guitar club will give a concert at Hancock hall Thursday evening, Feb. 6, under the auspices of the employees of the Bay State Aluminum Co. Every lady attending will be presented with a complimentary souvenir.

The police are putting a stop to the boys coasting on the streets. It seems rather hard on the boys but it is dangerous to pedestrians it should be stopped on some streets, but not on all. Boston permits coasting on many streets in the city proper.

The engagement is announced of Miss Mabel Howland of this city and Mr. F. H. Landon of London. Miss Howland is the daughter of Mr. Charles A. Howland of Adams street, who is president of the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Co. Mr. Landon is in the royal navy.

A meeting of the subscribers to the incorporation of the Quincy Board of Trade has been called for Tuesday evening, Jan. 25, at the rooms of the Granite Mutual fire insurance association in Durgin & Merrill's block. The hour of the meeting was omitted, but it will be at 7:30.

The executive and house committee of the Quincy Yacht club met Saturday night and made up the official ballot for the annual meeting. They also instructed the committee to make arrangements for the regatta by Mr. Nathan D. "The Night Shore," which will be given sometime in February at Hancock hall.

A class for the study of the German language will be organized at the Y. M. C. A. rooms next Monday evening, Jan. 25, Prof. Bernhard Schroeder, the well-known and successful teacher of languages, will be the instructor. Members of the association or of any who desire to become such will be admitted to this class.

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## Full Dress Wear.

White Vests, (new) \$1.50 and \$1.00.

Shirts, - - - \$1.25, \$1.00, \$0.75.

Studs, - - - 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50.

Bows and Ties, - - - 25c, 35c, 50c.

Gloves, - - - \$1.50, \$1.00, \$0.50.

Protectors, - - - \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00.

Dress Mufflers, - - - \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50.

## RAY, Furnisher,

of Washington and West Sts.

Cor. Washington and Boylston Sts.

BOSTON.

The rain has ruined the sleighing.

It was pay day Friday for the school teachers.

Mary S. Allen has been notified of a re-issue of pension.

Josiah Quincy continues to make lots of news for the Boston papers.

Miss Minerva Fuller, the talented pianist, left town Tuesday for New Haven, Conn.

There is a bill in the Legislature to prohibit the delivery of ice on the Lord's Day.

Cian McGreegor, O. S. C., will celebrate Burns' anniversary at Hancock hall Wednesday evening.

Bylaws will be reported at the meeting for organization of the Quincy Board of Trade next Tuesday evening.

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## Use Anti-Toxine.

In view of the prevalence of diphtheria in our city, the Board of Health are strongly recommending to our citizens the use of anti-toxine in the treatment of the disease, feeling sure that the best of results may be expected to follow, provided the remedy is used in the early stages of the disease. The opinions of the leading physicians of the country are universally in favor of the remedy, and to substantiate and show to our citizens the good results that may be expected to follow its use, we give below the opinions of the physicians of the city who have been consulted in regard to it.

Dr. Gordon strongly urges its use and reports the best of results particularly when used before the 3rd day, he regards it as a specific for diphtheria. Has applied it to some 16 cases and all have recovered. Has noticed no harmful results when used. Dr. Gilbert concurs in its use, and has applied it to 6 cases, and all have recovered except 1. Has noticed no harmful results in those to whom he has applied it.

Dr. Hunting is strongly in favor of its use. Has applied it to all his cases of two or three exceptions, which were so slight as to not need notice (one child covered), and has noticed no harmful results.

Dr. Welch also is strongly in favor of its use. Has applied it in some 40 cases and all have recovered with two or three exceptions. He has not noticed any harmful results from its use.

Dr. Sheehan is also very much in favor of using it, being perhaps the first physician to use it in the city. He has decided of the opinion that no ill result has followed its use. Has applied it to all of his cases, and regards it as almost a specific in the early stage of the disease, even in worst cases, and reports no harmful results.

Dr. F. S. Davis does not recommend its use. As the results show, a terrible fatality has attended the cases to which he has been called. Since November 1895, he has reported to the Board of Health 6 cases of children, and 5 cases of adults sick with diphtheria, of which the 6 cases of children proved fatal. There have been no fatal results in the cases of adults for the last two years in the city.

Dr. Padula is also in favor of its use and has used it in three cases. In the cases of two of his patients, in his opinion, he was called to late, and was unable to save their lives, the other case recovered.

Dr. Halliwell also is very strongly in favor of its use. Has applied it in all the cases to which he has been called, and with very favorable results. Some 12 cases in all and is positive that no harmful results have followed.

Dr. Ash, a member of the Board of Health, also fully concurs in its use, and is decidedly of the opinion that no harmful result has followed its use in his mind. In early stages, its beneficial effect, soon evidencing itself and cutting the disease short. It frees the patient on whom it has been used of the severe forms of anemic paralysis and tendencies to kidney complications which often follow convalescence from diphtheria, in cases not treated by anti-toxine, result fatally.

## Old Fellows' Ball.

A pleasant evening, an unusually large, well as a pretty party, good music, and an efficient and painstaking committee in charge, were the elements which combined to make the twelfth annual ball of the Old Fellows' Club, held at the Coliseum Thursday evening, a success in every way, and one that will go down in the annals of the lodge as a crowning piece to any of its previous gatherings of a like nature.

It was but a little after 8 o'clock when the carriages began to roll up to the door of the hall and deposit their freight of daintily gowned ladies and their escorts, and from that time there was an almost constant stream of carriages arriving.

Meanwhile Towne's orchestra, seated on the platform behind a bank of potted plants and ferns, gave those present an idea of what they might expect when the ball opened, and in connection with the orchestra, it might be mentioned that their music was of the highest order and gave universal satisfaction. In their selections for the dancing they furnished an involution in the way of a vocal accompaniment which was very pleasing, more especially so when any of the popular airs of the day were rendered.

The concert programme was as follows: March "Dionotia," by the orchestra.

Overture "Maiden Melody," by the orchestra.

Selection "The Traveller," by the orchestra.

Concert Waltzes "L'Estudiantina," by the orchestra.

McGee "Plantation Echoes," by the orchestra.

Promptly on the stroke of 9 o'clock the floor dance was inaugurated and was led by the Grand Marshal Henry L. Kincaide and Miss Lillian E. Pierce. The latter was pale blue chiffon. They followed the assistants, and others, which swelled the number in the march to 137 couples, while there were almost as many more, and from preference chose to dance the kaisodisco effect from the seats arranged about the hall, and to them the effect was indeed beautiful, and in fact the march was one of the prettiest features of the evening.

The march over, and the order of twenty numbers was entered into with zeal and continued uninterrupted save for a brief intermission at midnight during which supper was served in the upper hall.

The menu was as follows: Roast Turkey, Gravy, Jelly, Ham, Tongue, Escalloped Oysters, Lobster Salad, Chicken Salad, Spanish Fritters, Wine Sauce, Chicken Croquettes, with Peas, Frozen Pudding, Charlotte Russe, Vanilla Strawberry and Chocolate Ice Cream.

Plain and Fancy Cakes in variety. Coffee, Fruit, Rolls.

It was two by the old town clock when the last strains of Strauss' "Blue Danube" waltz had died away, and the first of the dancers were being hurried homeward in their carriages and electric and the twelfth annual passed into history.

## Helen Pratt Thompson.

The sudden death of Nellie Thompson, as she was familiarly known, on Tuesday, was a sad blow to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Thompson, and to her friends, neighbors and little friends. Her case was malignant from the start and her parents felt that everything possible was done for her. Dr. F. S. Davis was very devoted, and also called Mr. R. Thumson and Dr. A. Kimball, two of Boston's eminent physicians. Little Nellie was in her eleventh year, a pupil of the Coddington school and of the Sunday School of the First church. A private funeral was held on Wednesday, the services being conducted by Rev. E. C. Butler. The interment was at Mount Wollaston.

## Boatyard Hearing.

The hearing to be held Monday before the Committee of the Legislature on the petition to build a parkway from Squantum along the shores of Quincy Bay and thence to the Blue Hills reservation, was postponed. The main reason being that as a petition is to be introduced this week for a parkway along the shore of Winthrop beach it would be advisable to hear both at the same time, and then again Quincy had not sufficient time to prepare its case.

## CITY BRIEFS.

Candlemas day next Monday.

Dr. William Everett will occupy the pulpit of Rev. W. B. Goodenough at Beverly on Sunday.

Wednesday evening Feb. 19, Rev. Mr. Butler will address the Unitarian club at West Roxbury.

The clerk's room at the District court has been beautified by the addition of a number of works of art.

Masters Carl and Albert Prescott of 14 Bigelow street have received by express a fine little alligator from Florida.

The Quincy & Boston street railway has been ordered to pay for its employees, which are to be strictly enforced.

Mrs. A. F. Welch and daughters Misses Maria and Pauline of Danvers, are guests of Mrs. Goodridge of Hancock street.

Hon. and Mrs. William B. Rice and Miss Rice have taken apartments at Hotel Brunswick, Boston, for the rest of the season.

At the morning service at the First church the pastor Rev. Mr. Butler took for his subject "Go quickly." It was a very interesting discourse.

Ex-Mayor Porter was on Saturday received secretary and treasurer of the Mayor's club of Massachusetts at the annual meeting and banquet.

Delegation from Divisions 4 and 5 of Quincy attended the institution of Division 15, A. O. H., at North Weymouth, Saturday evening.

John McDunnell, who was recently employed by C. L. Prescott and later by Eaton Bros., was killed Thursday night, last week, on the Boston & Albany railroad.

Mr. William J. Faircloth of Quincy avenue had a shock Monday afternoon which affected his head. Owing to Mr. Faircloth's age he is considered seriously ill.

Mr. Frank G. Smith, who has returned from a month's travel to New York, Chicago, Denver, etc., is spending a few days with his sister Mrs. George H. Wilson of this city.

When Quincy gets its State road, its park, its sewerage system, its streets paved, and its police signal system, it can hold its own against any city in the good old Commonwealth.

But little now remains of the old Tirrell homestead on Hancock street and a few days more will see the last timber removed and work commenced on the erection of a new building.

Rev. Elery C. Butler attended the reunion of the Unitarian church at Beverly last week. Mr. Butler was stationed over this church previous to his coming to Quincy.

Electric cars to Nantasket are among the probabilities this year. The Wilmington company will build, and the Quincy & Boston will make connections with East Weymouth.

Edward T. Phelan, the humorist, will assist the Boston Ideal Club at their concert under the auspices of the employees of the Bay State Aluminum Company on Thursday evening, Feb. 6.

P. E. Quill, musician of Co. K, 5th Regt., has received an offer from Cuban agents of \$100 a month for his services in the rebel army at Cuba. Mr. Quill says if he was sure of his salary he would go.

Secretary R. D. Chase and Director Albert Keating of the Quincy Co-operative bank attended the banquet of the Massachusetts Co-operative Bank league at the United States Hotel, Boston, on Friday last.

Miss Jean Lawrence has taught school 33 continuous years in the Lowell district at Jamaica Plain, but this is in the shade of her service of over 40 years by Miss Julia Underwood at the Coddington school, Quincy.

A \$500 granite monument will be erected at Provincetown, commemorating the landing of the Pilgrims, and the signing of the compact there. The Old Colony commission allowed the sum of \$400, and the State appropriation.

The men's meeting of the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday was addressed by Mr. J. J. Davey of Rockland. Mr. T. D. Roberts, superintendent of the Boston Industrial Home, will speak on "Personal Purity" at the men's meeting next Sunday.

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## WOLLASTON.

The monthly business meeting of the Wollaston Epworth League will be held on Thursday evening, Feb. 6.

The Junior Epworth League of Wollaston is preparing to give a cantata on Thursday evening, February 13, entitled "Grandmother's Garden Plot, and Flower Chorus." Other interesting features will also be introduced in the very attractive programme.

The supper and social by the ladies of the Methodist church Wollaston at Mrs. Hastings' Central avenue on Thursday evening, called out a large number of people. A very pleasant entertainment followed the supper. This was in charge of Mrs. J. N. Emerson and consisted of "Illustrated Book Titles," "Grandmother's Garden," "A Sale," by Mrs. L. E. Prince and readings by Mrs. J. N. Emerson.

Tombs B and A of the Wollaston Canteen Club had an exciting contest on the Duck's Nest alleys on Wednesday evening. For upwards of two hours the adherents of each of the contesting teams alternately cheered and looked blue. It was a case of nip and tuck. Team A finally won with four plus to spare, the score being 1129 to 1125.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Emily Ward Cobb and Mr. Jesse Gilbert, both of Wollaston, to be held at Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 11, at Trinity church, Sing Sing-on-Hudson, N. Y.

The representation of some twenty odd of Charles Dana King's best illustrations from "Life," which were exhibited at the Standard Ten, King's Daughters, at Mr. W. G. Corthell's residence, Wollaston next week will be one of the events of the season.

Mr. H. C. Davidson of Wollaston is visiting friends in Brockton.

Mrs. F. A. Page of Wollaston, who is ill, is reported as convalescing quite rapidly.

Mrs. Jessie F. Stevens of Wollaston has returned from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Townsend of Wollaston.

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The movements of the watches that were stolen from the Harlow, Williams and Harlow's jewelry store on Saturday, were recovered Wednesday by Inspector M. K. Ryan from among the articles taken by the Boston police from the residence of Chaffey, the receiver of stolen property, now in State prison.

A class for the study of German language was organized Monday evening at the Young Men's Christian association, under the supervision of Mr. Bernhard Schroeder as instructor. The class will meet on Monday evenings. It affords a splendid opportunity to study German at a very small cost.

Prof. Schroeder is a thorough teacher, using the most modern methods. He has a class of forty in the Boston Association.

Mr. John Hermann Lund, A. R. C. M., pupil of Alexandre Guilmant, will give an organ recital at Christ's church on Wednesday evening next, February 5th, commencing at 7.45, when he will play "Toccata in F," J. S. Bach; "Toccata in G-flat," E. Lemaire; "De Missa Est," N. J. Lemaire; Cantata, in B-flat, and March Religieuse, Alex. Guilmant; Andante Cantabile, from Symphony No. 4, C. M. Gounod; Grand Chorale Dialogue, in G, E. Gignou. There will also be two selections by a soloist.

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Officer Barry is on the sick list and Officer Murray is on duty in his place.

There is a bill in the Legislature to limit the charge for the transportation of bicycles.

The night lunch car recently damaged by fire has been removed. We want more of them.

Elgar Emory met with a painful accident Thursday evening by a blade of a knife entering near his eye.

Mr. Lawton of Atlanta, Georgia, has succeeded Mr. D. Aier, as manager of the Quincy telephone exchange.

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## WEST QUINCY.

A benefit dance to Andrew Duddy will be held under the auspices of the John Boyle O'Reilly club at St. Mary's hall at an early date.

The young men of the West Quincy Epworth League are arranging an entertainment to be held early in February.

The weekly and Sunday evening meetings at the West Quincy Methodist church are growing in interest and there is a very perceptible increase in attendance.

The Quincy police made another liquor raid Sunday afternoon, and were successful in confiscating twelve gallons of wine, two quarts of whiskey, some empty jugs that contained cherry rum, and some bottles that had contained lager beer.

In was the vicinity of 3 o'clock when Inspector McKay, Officers Ferguson, Canavan and George McKay entered the house of John W. Wentworth on Willard street, near the Braintree line. They found three men all the worse for liquor and a woman who said Mr. and Mrs. Wentworth had gone to a christening. This made no difference to the officers, who read the warrant and then searched the house with the result noted above.

A leap year under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the St. Mary's C. T. A. Society will be held in St. Mary's hall Wednesday evening, Feb. 5. Mrs. J. A. O'Dowd, Mrs. John C. Kapples, Mrs. P. T. Fitzgerald and Mrs. John W. Hart will be the matrons, and Miss Nellie O'Dowd and Miss Mary Duggan, main attractions.

The O. T. Rogers Granite Co. has elected these officers: President, George H. Field; clerk, Walter T. Babcock; treasurer and general manager, Marshall P. Wright. The above officers constitute the board of directors.

The Granite Railway Co. have elected these officers: President, William B. Sewall; vice president, John W. Leighton; secretary, George H. Field; treasurer, George F. Green; J. Albert Simpson, Henry E. Sheldon, Robert B. Williams and John R. Ballard. The directors have appointed Henry E. Sheldon as agent.

The Calvary Baptist church has been holding these services on Sunday morning, the opening of the new chapel and is glad to say they are well attended, especially at the 3 and 7 o'clock services. Mr. Henry Faxon was one of the number on Sunday evening last. There has been opened a class for the Chinese and on the hour appointed two came and seemed very interested in the teachings given them.

The Sunday School teachers of St. John's church held a private entertainment and reception at St. John's hall Thursday evening.

John H. Bishop & Co. have dissolved partnership, and John H. Bishop will continue the business.

William Wilson has accepted a position in the ware rooms of the New England Piano and Organ Co.

Among the articles found by the Boston police at the residence of James S. Chiffey, the burglar, was a watch made by C. F. Pettigall of Quincy, minus the case. The movement was a Rockford, No. 288,323. The watch proved to be one stolen from the residence of Mr. Williams on Quincy avenue, and was recovered two years ago and was owned by Samuel Williams.

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What might have proved a bad conflagration was discovered Tuesday evening and extinguished by the efforts of Officer Nicol, assisted by the firemen, John C. Duff, ex-Councilman Dixon and Henry Bowen. As the 8.15 P. M. train from Boston was passing by the Quincy Dried Fruit Company's factory, some of the sparks from the engine ignited the grass on the Adams estate on the east side of the track, and was burning quite fiercely when discovered by Officer Nicol. All five worked heroically and succeeded in extinguishing the fire after quite a piece had been burned. It left alone it would have caused considerable damage, as it was headed directly for a group of houses on President's avenue. Thank all together Officer Nicol is to be complimented on his good work without complaint.

There is no doubt about Massachusetts Bay Colony, U. O. P. E., being a wide awake organization. Beside its own peculiar and distinct features it is regarded as the successor and heir of the Atlantic Social club and is keeping up the reputation of the latter. The dancing parties are the most enjoyable ever given in Atlantic with the largest attendance. The colony has just appointed a committee of "rustics" with James Curtis as chairman, to provide a minstrel show in the near future and it will be the best ever given here. At the Monday evening meeting after the routine business the committee on good of the order presented an interesting entertainment.

Miss Emma Curtis gave a piano solo. Songs were sung by Frank Tilson and Mrs. Ella Carver, and Mr. C. F. Merrick read several selections from Eugene Field. Then a new game was played with Mrs. D. Bruce at the piano and great sport was had. The prizes fell to Mr. Yeoman and Mr. D. Huff. The number by Miss Curtis deserves special mention for her talent as a pianist has become marked. An equally good time was promised for the next meeting. The committee are C. F. Merrick, Mrs. John Carver, Mrs. James Curtis.

Two cases of diphtheria have been reported at Atlantic on Walnut street, at the home of Mr. Martin. There is also a case on Madison street.

Mr. Edward A. Wight, the well known Boston lumber dealer, is spending several weeks on his farm near Weymouth, Mass. B. Combs of Appleton street, hoping to go to improve his health, which is slightly run down.

Mr. Harry O. Parker of Atlantic is preparing to build a new house on the corner of Atlantic and Elm streets. He has a large tract of land there to lay out into building lots and streets for Mr. Brown, of the Atlantic Land Co.

Mr. McIntire is to occupy his new house on Hamilton circle this week.

The new chapel at Norfolk Downs is rapidly approaching completion. It is expected that the dedication will take place about Feb. 22.

On account of the alterations taking place at the Quincy Methodist church, the Tark and Downs Union Society have been obliged to hold their services elsewhere. They now worship in the vacant house owned by Mr. John Stewart on Bromfield street.

The Hospital Appropriation. The petition of Hon. W. B. Rice and others presented to the Legislature last week by Representative Thompson of this city, was accompanied by the following bill:

SECTION 1. The city of Quincy is hereby authorized to raise by taxation a sum of money not exceeding five thousand dollars per year and appropriate the same towards the maintenance and support of the City hospital in said city.

SECTION 2. Section six of chapter one hundred and seven of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and eighty-nine is hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

The Winthrop petition as to open space along the shore was taken from the files of the Legislature Tuesday and referred to the Committee on Metropolitan Affairs.

At Barre, Vt., Sunday morning, the shop of Marr & Thompson, granite tool manufacturers, and polishing mill of G. E. Mills were destroyed by fire, and the polishing mill of C. H. More and Co. was damaged \$600.

A CARD. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rollins wish to extend their sincere thanks to the many friends who cheered them by their presence on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of their marriage on Tuesday, January 28th, and to express their cordial appreciation of the very generous gifts so kindly sent them.

Wollaston, January 29, 1896.

East Milton was well represented at the Old Fellows hall at Quincy Thursday evening.

The fourth subscription party will be held at Ellsworth hall, Feb. 14.

William Egan, who has been quite sick, is reported as improving.

Louis Staples left Wednesday for St. Louis to join his mother, Mrs. H. C. Vrooman, who is now located there.

Several of the local bicycle riders are in training for next season's races.

Mrs. John B. Kendrick has an infant arriving, which was sent her by her sister, Miss Newcomb, who is now in Florida.

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## The Quincy Patriot.

QUINCY, SATURDAY, FEB. 8, 1896.

### Art from Life.

The residence of Mr. Wendell G. Corbell on Grand View avenue, Wollaston, contained an appreciative audience on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings to witness the first private representation of a number of Charles Dana Gibson's most notable illustrations from "Life," which were exhibited under the auspices of the Steadfast Ten, King's Daughters, the proceeds to go towards assisting worthy girls through college.

Gibson's illustrations, depicting the deliciously humorous side of life in the city, probably were never better staged (if that professional term may be used) than those which were presented under the direction of Mrs. Elbert H. Brock and Miss Mae Arnold Lincoln. The grouping, a most difficult undertaking where a perspective background and fine canvas are used, was so artistically accomplished that it satisfied the most exacting critics.

Cupid (Dorothy Fay) was a delightfully graceful little figure in her flesh-colored costume and extended dore's wing and deserved the applause which was so generously bestowed for her artistic posing.

"Gibson's girls" were strikingly illustrated by Miss Betty F. Jameson, Miss Marion Sherman, Miss Russell of Quincy, Mrs. Ralph J. Saxe, Mrs. Amos T. Leavitt, Miss Miriam Ripley, Miss Anna Whitman, Mrs. E. H. Sprague, Miss Hatch of Boston, and Mr. Charles Rippey, who personated the heroines in "Puzzle: find the heiress."

On Tuesday evening Mrs. Anna Farnum Smith opened the entertainment with a piano solo "Impromptu in F sharp" from Chopin, and on Wednesday evening Mr. Bertie O. Wetmore opened it with a most excellently rendered baritone solo. The other soloists were Mrs. Frank H. Sprague and Mr. Robert B. Porter.

"Gibson's Men" were Mr. Elbert H. Brock, Mr. Everett S. Litchfield, Mr. Charles R. Sherman, Mr. Ralph J. Saxe, Mr. Amos T. Leavitt, Mr. Tyler Brigham and Mr. Robert B. Whitman.

Following the illustration Mrs. Elbert H. Brock gave an interesting account of Mr. Gibson's life and works.

After the entertainment chocolate was served and a light lunch was served to the guests. The entertainment will be publicly repeated next week at the Knights of Honor hall.

### Board of Trade.

Another meeting of those interested in forming a board of trade in Quincy was held Wednesday evening in the rooms of the Granite Manufacturers' Association in Durgin & Merrill's block, some thirty of the prominent business men of the city being present. But little business was done as the charter has not been secured as yet. Mayor Adams presided and John O. Hall was clerk. The committee appointed to present a list of officers to the corporation made its report, after which the officers were elected by ballot and the clerk sworn to the faithful performance of his duties by the chairman.

The officers elected were as follows: Treasurer, Horace F. Spear. Clerk, John O. Hall. Auditor, Horace F. Spear.

Director, Thomas King, John F. Welch, Rupert F. Claffin, Fred B. Rice, Charles F. Adams, Dr. Clarence Burgh, John F. Merrill, Fred L. Smith, George H. Brown, John Swinton, John R. Graham, Frank S. Patch, Henry L. Kincaide, James Thompson, Henry McGraw, John Q. A. Field, James F. Burke, Fred L. Badger, James Elcock, Henry O. Fairbanks, Herbert T. Whitman, Charles M. Bryant, Nathan G. Nickerson, Stephen O. Moxon, John A. Duggan.

As there was no further business to transact, the meeting adjourned about eight o'clock.

The next step is for the directors to meet and organize by a charter, president and to sign the papers of incorporation.

### Ninetieth Birthday.

Mrs. Martha P. Hall, one of Quincy's oldest residents, if not the oldest, celebrated her ninetieth birthday on Monday. Mrs. Hall is the widow of the late Enoch Hall of Edwards street and of Mrs. George W. Thayer of Crescent street, West Quincy, with whom she resides. She has been blind for about seven years but goes about the house unaided by guide or cane.

She sat at supper with five of her grand children, Mrs. Enoch Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Thayer, together with some friends. Mrs. Hall was the recipient of many gifts of remembrance among which was a box from South Portland, Me., from Mrs. A. V. Cole, a daughter who was unable to be present, also a bouquet of roses from Mrs. Maria Bowker of Weymouth.

She had many callers during the day and seemed in the best of spirits with a joke now and then. Her many friends wish her many happy returns of the day.

### Organ Recital.

There was a large gathering at Christ's church Wednesday evening on the occasion of the organ recital by John Hermann Lund, A. R. C. M., a pupil of Alexander Guilman, who was assisted by Master Henry Dunlop, the boy vocalist.

Mr. Lund rendered a programme of classical music, calculated to test the powers of the magnificent organ of the church, which was very enjoyable. The solos by Master Dunlop were very beautifully rendered and he can be truthfully said to possess a wonderful voice.

The programme included: Toccata in G. J. S. Bach. Priere in G. E. Lemaire. The Mass Est. N. J. Lemaire. Angels ever bright and fair. Handel. A Canticle in B. Alex. Guilman. Andante in B-flat. Alex. Guilman. Andante in B-flat. Alex. Guilman. Andante in B-flat. Alex. Guilman.

Now the day is over, Christopher Marks, Master Henry Dunlop, Grand Choir Dialogue in G. E. Gigout.

### Swedish Pastor Resigns.

The Swedish Lutheran church has elected these officers for the ensuing year: Secretary, August Weeden. Deacons, Charles F. Carlson, August Weeden, Fritz Swanson, Joseph F. Johnson. Trustees, C. F. Carlson, W. R. Lofgren, Andrew Nelson, John Helquist, Fritz Swanson. Treasurer, C. F. Carlson.

Rev. John T. Johnson, who has been the pastor of the church for a little over a year, resigned his pastorate which was accepted. Mr. Johnson will have charge of the church until April when he will go to Sweden for three months, when he will return to America and complete his studies at the Rock Island college.

After the resignation of Mr. Johnson had been accepted, it was voted to extend a call to Rev. C. Shore of Rock Island, Ill., and it is expected that he will accept the call.

The following music has been prepared for the vesper service at the Wollaston Unitarian church on Sunday. Solo, "Consider the Lilies." Topf. Solo, "In the Cross of Christ I Glory." Ahl. Solo, "Freud's Song." Mr. Walter Arnold. Solo, "I Trust in God." Tourne. Mr. Walter Arnold.

Shawmut Spring Water cures kidney and liver troubles.

## CITY BRIEFS.

Mayor Quincy of Boston was in town Sunday.

W. W. Jenness, Esq., is confined to his rooms with tonsillitis.

Quincy has been fortunate in regard to fires this far this year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Emery are contemplating a trip to Florida soon.

There is a bill in the Legislature to make Jan. 17, Franklin's birthday, a legal holiday.

It is reported that the recent ball of Mr. Watson lodge of Odd Fellows netted over \$100.

Most of the new city officials have qualified for the offices to which they were appointed.

It is reported that Mr. E. F. Carr of E. Carr & Co., is travelling for a Barre, Vt., granite firm.

The prospects are that there will be considerable building in Quincy with the opening of spring.

Copies of the receipts and expenditures for Norfolk County for the year 1895 can be had at City Hall.

Miss Besie Hector has been engaged as stenographer and typewriter at the office of the Quincy Cycle Co.

Commissioner Knowlton has taken up his residence with Mr. Louis Nash on Foster street for the present.

Merry-mong lodge, A. O. U. W., will have a stereopticon exhibition at its meeting next Tuesday evening.

The members of the Quincy Board of Trade have already received circulars from gentlemen who desire to lecture to them.

A prominent member of the Quincy Yacht club is having a large family yacht built by Crosby of Oyster.

An important special meeting of the School Committee is called for next Monday evening, to consider new school buildings.

The programmes for the concert of the Boston Ideal club and for the High school speaking were printed at the Patriot office.

The regular meeting of the Granite City club will be held Saturday evening, to act on applications for membership and to take action in regard to a banquet.

The many friends of Mrs. C. A. Winslow, of Edwards street, will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from the accidental fall she took last week.

The Board of Health has organized with Benjamin F. Curtis as chairman and Dr. John H. Ash, secretary. The board has appointed T. P. Ford, inspector.

Mr. Charles Francis Adams, 23, will have a racing half-racer in the field next season, from the board of Designer John R. Purdon of this city.—Herald.

The petition of the city of Quincy for authority to erect and maintain an electric light plant for street lighting, was forwarded to the State House on Wednesday.

Some members of the Quincy Yacht club forwarded a five dollar bill to the treasurer this week without disclosing his identity. The beginning of a conscience fund probably.

C. H. Johnson has sold the estate of the late Charlotte Carr on Adams street, recently purchased by Charles H. Brooks, to Daniel Moran of this city, who will occupy the same.

John B. Foster is accepting congratulations and sympathy mingled, over the birth of twin boys in his family Wednesday. Grandpa Osborne of Bigelow street is perhaps the happiest.

The electric lights in the Swedish Lutheran church went out suddenly Sunday evening during the service, but there was no alarm. Those present remained quiet and the lights came again in a few moments.

Monday the girls employed at Rosenfeld's wrapper factory struck against a reduction in pay and left work. A new agreement was entered into after a different basis and the girls returned to work Wednesday.

The petition to the city council by Hon. John F. Merrill and others for the establishment of the grade on Hancock street between Granite and School streets is a move in the right direction for it is in very bad condition at present and in fact has been for a long time.

There was a merry party at the Granite City club room Wednesday. Councilman Ridout was the champion whist player. Col. Bass led the members gallantly in many contests and in receiving cheers on all sides; but in the last few games Mr. Ridout outshined him.

One of the Boston papers of Monday stated that Dr. William Everett preached on Sunday in the First Baptist church at Beverly. It was not however the Baptist church, but the First Presbyterian church, served by the Rev. E. C. Butler, where he will preach again next Sunday.

Mr. Walter B. Holden left Saturday night for Buffalo, to be present and to usher at the wedding of his friend, Mr. Frank Bartlett Steele, who was married Tuesday at Titusville, Penn. Mr. Steele was best man at the Schenckelberger-Hawes wedding in this city last October.

Fifty-two volumes of the Little and Brown edition of the Historical Romances of Alexander Dumas have lately been added to the Public Library. The correct numbers of the new volumes and of the few of the old edition which yet remain in use, will be found by consulting the list in another column.

About fifty couples participated in the social given at Faxon hall on Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Church Society of the Unitarian church, which was enjoyed from 8 to 12 o'clock, ice cream and cake being served by Wales at 10.30. Those in charge of the affair were Joseph A. Alden, Samuel Oxford and Peter A. Gomez.

The Norfolk County Commissioner evidently does not assume that Quincy people shall scrutinize their figures this year. For many years the receipts and expenditures have been printed annually in the Quincy Patriot. Perhaps Quincy killed up too much accounts and complete his studies at the Rock Island college.

The organ recital at Christ church was enjoyed by a large gathering of people Wednesday evening. John Hermann Lund of Weymouth presided at the organ and gave a varied programme in his usual masterly style. Mr. Lund has made a study of music abroad under Alexander Guilman, receiving honors and much praise for his excellence. Master Henry Dunlop sang two selections, and every one was more than pleased with his clear sweet notes.

Mr. George W. Prescott and Miss Etta M. Prescott have returned from an extended trip through Florida. They left Palm Beach, 500 miles south of Jacksonville on Wednesday, January 29, and arrived in that flourishing city the same evening. There they stopped one day, and then started for Charleston, S. C., where they were entertained for several hours, when they continued on their journey to Washington, and from there to New York, and home by the Fall River line. An extended account of their National Electric Association convention and their trip through Florida will be given in the Quincy Patriot from week to week.

## How the snow disappeared!

A tree in the yard of Mrs. Klogman was blown down Thursday night.

George Saville has sold his Cape cat boat to Arthur W. Ryder and Fred Gos.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet on Friday, at 9 p. m., in the Methodist church.

The Norfolk Social Medical society held its regular monthly meeting and dinner at the Greenleaf Tuesday.

Mr. Wollaston lodge, L. O. O. F., worked the initiatory degree upon one candidate at its meeting Tuesday evening.

Rev. Edwin N. Hardy was the guest and lecturer of the Pilgrim Fraternity Association, Dorchester, Monday evening.

Prof. Wrigley will conduct the song of the "Old Ballads" at the "Money Bag Party" of Christ church on Feb. 17.

There will be meeting of the Fragment society in the Unitarian chapel Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 12th, at two o'clock.

There are several quiet real estate deals in progress in Quincy just at present, which can not be made public as yet.

A pleasing concert of vocal and instrumental music is promised by the Guild of the First church for next Friday evening.

The several companies who control the poles in Quincy have complied with the order of the Council and painted their poles.

The Water Commissioners met Thursday evening and organized with W. G. A. Pattee as chairman and C. T. Baker as secretary.

The high wind was the cause of the fire alarm being sounded Thursday afternoon and thus causing the blows struck on the circus.

Mr. Gordon M. Keating, who has been seriously ill, has so far recovered as to be able to leave his bed and sit up for a little while at a time.

The board of assessors held their first meeting on Friday last, when the first meeting of the board was held.

The committee on Street Railways of the Legislature reported a bill authorizing the Quincy and Boston street railway to lease the Braintree street railway.

Miss M. Lizzie Fernald and Miss Jennie Davis attended the whist party at South Boston, Tuesday evening, held by Friendship lodge, K. & L. of H.

Commissioner Knowlton was about Thursday afternoon and night looking out for the large rainfall. Aside from floods there was but little damage.

Mr. J. E. Duizer, who was recently transferred from the Quincy telephone exchange to the Lynn exchange, is to remove his family to the latter city.

O. C. Colton will answer the question, "Why are We Needed?" at the district conference of the Women's Auxiliaries to the Y. M. C. A. at Whitman, Feb. 12.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles J. Krell of Lowell are on their wedding tour, and while in Quincy are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Hayden, 144 Granite street.

There is a movement for an electric street railway from Weymouth to Holbrook which might take some of the Brockton travel to the beaches away from the Quincy & Boston road.

Again Thursday night it was illustrated that the Washington street culvert over Town brook is too small to carry off a rush of water. The low lands bordering the brook were overflowed and Cherry avenue remained under water until this noon.

On the morning of Dec. 24, 1895, Mrs. Lucinda Rogers Hobart passed quietly away, aged eighty-two years and nine months, at the home of her sister-in-law Mrs. Sarah L. Rogers, at Troy, N. Y.

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The heavy rain Thursday afternoon and evening, together with the street railway tracks on Washington street, between Town street and the residence of Geo. O. Langley, and the tracks set out so bad that it was impossible to run cars over them, and the passengers had to wait for the cars to be repaired.

Quincy is a growing city, and, although it has been fortunate thus far in the matter of fire, there is no knowing when a serious conflagration may break out, and with surrounding cities and towns, it is way behind the times in the matter of fire apparatus.

The members of the Intermediate Junior Department will be tendered a supper this evening by the Women's Auxiliary.

Rev. C. W. Wilder, of the Presbyterian M. E. church will speak Sunday on "The Scripture Doctrine of Sin."

Secretary Colton returned from Portland Friday where he attended the N. E. Severeities' Conference. He took a number of photographs of the city and made drawings from the Granite City school, which attracted considerable attention and were highly praised by the Portland papers.

The board of directors of this month has been postponed until the second Tuesday, Feb. 11.

The Bible class continues to meet on Monday evening, and is making good progress in Old Testament studies.

A large audience gathered in the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon to hear Mr. T. D. Roberts of the Boston Industrial Home. Owing to a misunderstanding, however, the meeting was postponed until the second Tuesday, Feb. 11.

Miss Addie L. Newcomb arrived home the first of the week from a trip to Florida with Mr. Geo. W. Prescott and daughter, Miss Etta M. Prescott.

The Wollaston Bowling club visited the Norfolk Bowling club on Monday evening and did it up in approved style, defeating the Norfolk club 2482 to 2352. Lyman of the Wollastons distinguished himself as well as the club to which he belonged by not being out for a single, 201, and high on total, 576, but made no break and missed but one spare.

The result: Terrell, 163 173 152-488. Turner, 185 165 118-467. Baldwin, 172 161 173-508. Raymond, 154 142 149-445. Clapp, 163 162 182-507. 788 700 773 2352.

WOLLASTON. Taylor, 122 140 169-431. Emery, 165 152 165-482. Lyman, 201 174 201-576. McCall, 171 151 145-457. McCintock, 152 158 173-518. 821 807 854 2482.

Candle Pin Contest. Team B of the Wollaston Candle Pin club defeated team C 1105 to 1065 on the Duck's Nest alleys on Wednesday evening. The result: TEAM B. Starrett, 80 80 80-240. Fairbank, 80 80 80-240. Simmons, 65 65 64-195. Brasse, 68 65 65-196. Whites, 70 72 64-216. 269 283 354 1106.

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Rev. C. W. Wilder and Rev. A. W. L. Nelson of Jamaica Plain will exchange pulpits on Sunday morning.

The Gleaners, King's Daughters, will meet with M. P. Moorehouse, Wollaston, Monday, Feb. 10, at 2.30 p. m.

The monthly business meeting of the Epworth League of Wollaston which was to have been held at the house of Mrs. S. S. on Thursday evening, was postponed on account of the storm.

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**Good Temper.**

There's not a cheaper thing on earth, Nor yet one half so dear; 'Tis worth more than distinguished birth, Or in usands gauded a year;

It lends today a new delight, For a kind friend is a shield; And adds more beauty to the night Than all the stars can yield.

It maketh poverty content, To sorrow whispers peace; It is a gift from heaven sent, For in trials to increase.

It meets you with a smile at morn, It tells you to repose; A flower for peer and peasant born, An everlasting rose.

A charm to banish grief away, To clear the brow from care; Turn tears to smiles, make dullness gay, Spread gladness everywhere.

And yet 'tis sweet as summer dew That tempts the lily's breast; A talisman for love as true As ever man possessed.

What may this wondrous spirit be, With power unshared before? This charm, this bright amenity? Good temper—nothing more.

Good temper—'tis the choicest gift That woman homeward brings, And can the poorest peasant lift To bliss unknown to kings.

For the Patriot.

**On the Death of Miss Webster.**

Mary, thou wast mild and lovely, And thy pure and gentle life, Shed abroad a hallowed fragrance Which will last while time abides.

Oh, so hard to see you suffer, Oh, so hard to have you go, But a kind and loving Father Had a mansion made for you.

So from earth to heaven he took you, To the mansion in the skies, An angel now in purest white, A child of Paradise.

Food mother, dry your weeping eyes, And put your trust in God's great love, Your darling child has won the prize, The crown immortal, up above.

Oh, what comfort in the promise, "No night in Heaven" shall be, One long and loving Father, Free from earth's misery.

We miss you in the Sunday School, Teachers and scholars all, No "Mary" answers to our call, The one we loved, has gone.

We can but say "Good night," "Good night," but not "Good by," For we'll meet to say "Good morning," In the better home on high.

A. M. C.

**Notes and Comments.**

—We have received from Prof. J. B. Sewall the nineteenth annual catalogue of the Thayer Academy, Braintree. The school seems to be in a flourishing condition with a large number of pupils in attendance. Quincy contributes twenty-six pupils out of the ninety-three.

—There is a rumor that the large sewing machine companies will go into bicycle manufacturing this year and place a good wheel on the market for \$25. Who believes it?

—It is shown by the official statistics that in a given 1000 of the people of Massachusetts there are now more individuals possessed of moderate and fair-sized estates than ever before, and that the average size of such estates is more than double what it was 60 years ago. This is relatively true as to the whole country. In spite of all the loose talk about the rich growing richer and the poor growing poorer, the fact is that the poor are accumulating property faster, in proportion and in the aggregate, than the rich.

—The canvass for the births of 1895 has been taken in different towns. Two ladies in a neighboring town report the birth of a fifteenth child, and one the birth of twelve in sixteen years.

—There is some complaint at Nantasket beach of Boston reef and garbage being washed in from the sea. We opine from what we have seen, there is full as much refuse carried down in the summer, by the excursion boats and trains.—*Mansfield News.*

—Weymouth is having an epidemic of pink eye.

—The work on the new Charles River Park track in Boston is being pushed with a rapidity and spirit that speaks for its early completion. When that point is reached, Boston will undoubtedly be the wealthiest city in the country in the matter of race tracks, for while there are no less than four of them, but of this number the Charles River Park track must take precedence owing to its construction on the most scientific plan, there not being a single exception in the entire construction.

—Charles Hoyt the playwright and actor is talked of as the democratic nominee for governor of New Hampshire. Mr. Hoyt has represented his district in the legislature for several years and is said to be as successful in making rules as in making plays.

—One of Palace Car Pullman's daughters is to be married, strange to relate, to an American. That would indicate an increase rather than a decrease in "Pullman births."—*Franklin Sentinel.*

**The Time for Building**  
Up the system is at this season. The cold weather has made men more susceptible to vital forces. The blood has become impoverished and impure, and all the functions of body suffer in consequence. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great purifier, because it is the true Blood Purifier and nerve tonic.

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**Anecdotes.**

"I would join the church if it wasn't full of hypocrites."

Tucker—"Oh, my mistaken about that. There's always room for one more."—*Life.*

"Well my dear, what did you do at the sewing circle today?"

"Oh, nothing much. We tore up a few reputations and sowed a few seeds of discord in the congregation."

"Georgie, dear," said the loving mother, "I'm very proud nothing has been brought up against you this term of school."

George—"So'm I! Wish't nuthin' had been brought down agin me!—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

They were dining off fowl in a restaurant.

"You see," he explained, as he showed her the wishbone. "You take hold here. Then we must both make a wish and pull, and when it breaks the one who has the biggest part of it will have his or her wish granted."

"But I don't know what to wish for," she protested.

"Oh, you can think of something," he said.

"No, I can't," she replied; "I can't think of anything I want very much."

"Well, I'll wish for you," he exclaimed.

"Will you really?" she asked.

"Yes."

"Well, then, there's no use fooling with the old wishbone," he interrupted, with a glad smile. "You can have me!"—*Truth.*

**Diphtheria.**

**Editors of the Patriot:**

In your issue of last week an article appeared in regard to the cases of diphtheria under my care, which would lead one to suppose that the use of antitoxin would have saved some or all of them, which I deny.

In the first place the cases were very malignant, which opinion is confirmed by the physicians, who were called in consultation, and they are men of experience in this disease.

In the interview published the statement is made that "the opinions of the leading physicians of the country are universally in favor of the remedy." This is not so. The most determined opposition to the use of antitoxin is still maintained by the leading school physicians and journals, from which allow me to quote.

In the February "Medical Brief" is as follows: "The really scientific, eminent, conservative men in the profession who love truth for its own sake and are capable of judicial investigation and an unbiased verdict, are beginning to send in reports on antitoxin. One and all condemn it, and demonstrate conclusively that its use has increased the mortality of diphtheria."

As instance, we cite the two able and impartial papers on the subject, read before the New York Academy of Medicine by Doctors William Henry Porter and Louis B. Meyer, both of whom are on Pathology and Clinical Microscopy, at the New York Polytechnic.

Dr. Porter says in American Medical Surgical Bulletin as follows: "In the practical application of diphtheria, antitoxin, from a scientific standpoint, we find the common statement that anti-toxine of diphtheria is of avail, only when it is used early and in the mild cases of the disease. In the later stages, and when the disease is of a severe type, the anti-toxine is of little or no value, and cannot be used in the diphtheria with mixed infections it has no influence of value. Neither does it render the human subject immune to diphtheria, but rather it tends to lower the nutritive resistance of the living cells of the body, and thus increases the susceptibility to diphtheria."

"Yet in the face of all these statements which have been made by the experimental biologists, innumerable statistics are being published which appear to prove conclusively that the mortality from diphtheria has been greatly reduced by the introduction and use of the diphtheria antitoxin. The real facts, however, appear to be as follows:

"The diagnosis of diphtheria for a long time was based upon the presence of Klebs-Löffler bacilli in the throat. The presence of the bacilli, even in the absence of clinical manifestations constituted a true case of diphtheria. This naturally swelled the total number of the mild cases of diphtheria that would in all probability have recovered upon almost any rational plan of treatment. This single factor has greatly increased the total number of cases, and has helped largely to lower the percentage of fatal cases. The severe cases not amenable to the anti-toxin treatment, one eliminated, again helps to lower the apparent mortality.

"Upon a closer perusal of cases having the clinical manifestations common to diphtheria, and in which the mortality was high in consequence of the mixed infections, but in which the examination of the throat failed to detect the Klebs-Löffler bacilli, have been excluded in compiling the statistics. Of this class some observers put the number as high as thirty or forty per cent. of all cases of diphtheria.

"All of the above enumerated classes of cases have helped to keep up the parent fatality of diphtheria. If now some of the first-class, which, from a clinical standpoint, never had true diphtheria, are deducted as they should be, and the two other classes added, the total mortality from diphtheria will be found not to have been perceptibly lowered.

"On the other hand, there appears to be an accumulation of evidence which, in the near future, and in the absence of any severe epidemic, will show conclusively that the mortality from diphtheria has been raised rather than lowered, by the employment of diphtheria anti-toxin."

Dr. William Vissman, B. A., M. D., New York, says: "The results which I have learned from the experiments of Louis Pasteur, Nannyn, Franke, and many others, we are not justified in the subcutaneous introduction into the human organism of the blood serum of the lower animals; because the serum produced by such animals is not healthy persons. In diphtheria antitoxin, however, we have a modified serum, which its discoverer informs us is almost indifferent in its effect on the human organism. As far as we can learn from the reports of the therapy have administered to man, its effect is far from indifferent. Nearly all are agreed that there are certain disagreeable results from the use of antitoxin.

"Among these complications are erythema, hemorrhages in the skin, heart weakness, pain in the joints (with or without swelling) which may last for several days. If one of these persons having virulent diphtheria bacilli in their fancies, were treated with antitoxin, many would be injured for an uncertain benefit to a very few.

"After the disease has made good progress that it can be diagnosed the toxin has produced such an effect upon the organism, that, judging from the experiments of Behring, the Parks and others, it is not to be expected from the anti-toxin. And, since observing the results of experiments on rabbits, it is highly probable that, instead of reducing the mortality of diphtheria, anti-toxin has really increased the death rate."—*Amer. Medical Surg. Bulletin.*

The Journal of the American Medical Association reviews editorially the position of the eminent London laryngologist, Leitch, who (worthily) quotes the words of Sir Morrell MacKenzie, M. D., who states that after the use of serum therapy "A greater number of children have been found liable to attacks of cyanosis and faintings with a correspondingly increased demand for stimulants. Complete recovery is found to be greatly delayed and an unexpected fatal result at a late period is more frequent."

He calls attention to the increased liability to the most grave complications of diphtheria, viz. anuria, rephritis and cardiac failure. He also alludes to cases in which immunizing serum had produced notions and even fatal results.

In view of these facts, the Journal A. M. A. cautions the practitioner to give antitoxin a wide berth, and not make the profession ridiculous by too much haste in accepting "every continental fad that is forced upon us."

From Medical Brief, Feb.—All observers unite in saying that anti-toxin is absolutely valueless in septic diphtheria, malignant diphtheria, genuine diphtheria. No man who has ever administered a dose has had sufficient courage to trust it alone. Recovery is always to be local and supporting treatment.

"It has been shown in many instances, especially in the Willard Parker Hospital for children, in New York, that the mortality from this anti-toxin treatment which a year ago promised such favorable results, is now alarmingly high. Not only are paralysis, acute nephritis, convulsions, fatal congestions of the abdominal viscera of other alarming conditions produced as a result of the treatment, but various specific states follow as remote effects.—*Medical Brief.*

DR. F. S. DAVIS.

"A man is a great bundle of tools. He is born into this life without the knowledge of how to use them. Education is the process of learning to use the tools and troubles are God's whetstones with which to keep them sharp."—*Proverbs from Plymouth Pulpit.*

**Household Receipts.**

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**SQUASH MUFFINS.** One cup sifted squash, one cup milk, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one tablespoonful of butter, melted, one egg, one pint of flour, two tablespoonfuls of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt. Mix the milk, sugar and butter with the squash, add the well beaten egg. Mix the baking powder and salt with the flour and then stir this into the first mixture and beat thoroughly. Bake in round tin pans, about half an hour.

**FRIED POTATO Cakes.** On a Pin. Scald one cupful of milk reserving enough to make a smooth paste with one tablespoonful of flour. Mix this with the scalded milk and stir till it thickens. Let it cook five minutes stirring occasionally. Then mix the thickened milk with the beaten egg or the yolks of two, and cook for a few moments longer till the egg thickens. Take from the fire, add one-fourth cupful of sugar. When carefully put together straining is unnecessary.

**FRUIT CAKES.** Five tablespoonfuls of flour, three tablespoonfuls of brown sugar, one teaspoonful of ground ginger, two tablespoonfuls of black molasses, a good teaspoonful of baking powder. Mix the flour, sugar, ginger and baking-powder well together in a dry state, then add the molasses with a little milk, stir well together, and bake in a moderate oven in small patties.

**STEAMED BROWN BREAD.** One cup Indian meal, one cup rye meal, one half cup white flour, one half teaspoon salt, one half teaspoon soda, one egg, one cup milk, one cup sugar, one cup butter. Mix the meal and rye meal with the milk and sugar, add the soda and salt, and mix thoroughly. Steam in a moderate oven for two and a half hours.

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Leave CITY HALL on the hour and half hour for Braintree, Holbrook, Brockton, Campello, without change.  
Leave BROCKTON for Holbrook, Braintree and Quincy, without change, on the hour and half hour.  
Leave BRAINTREE for Quincy, 15 minutes before and 15 minutes past the hour.

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CHARLES S. FRENCH, Administrator.  
Quincy, Feb. 1, 1896.

**The Quincy Patriot.**  
SATURDAY, FEB. 15, 1896.

**The Little Valentine.**

Through 'tis faded now and yellow  
With the dews of many years,  
And its verses that before me  
In the mists of unheeded tears,  
That around my heart entwined,  
There is none I love so fondly  
As this little valentine.

For around it cling and cluster  
Memories of the long ago;  
Of the sunny days of childhood,  
And the joys of youth and love,  
Cherished dreams and youthful fancies,  
That in those old days were mine.  
Hence, like the breath of roses,  
Round this little valentine,  
And like shadows flitting softly,  
Loving faces come and go—  
Faces that have long been sleeping  
Neath the blossoms and the snow;  
And dear hands, that long have vanished,  
Once again I clasp in mine.  
As I gaze in love and reverence  
On this little valentine.

Voices sweet that death has silenced,  
Whisper to me words of love,  
Like the sound of angel music,  
Floating downward from above:  
Till at last, the echoes dying  
In the depths of memory's shrine,  
I am left alone and lonely,  
On my little valentine.

So, although 'tis dim and faded  
With the dust of many years,  
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—Julia T. Kierland.

**Notes and Comments.**

—Mrs. Givile Marcous of Lawrence has just had her fourth child in 20 months. She is 28 years of age, and none of her four children are able to walk. Mrs. Marcous' father had a family of four before he was 21 years of age. He was a grand father at the age of 37.

—The Reverend John has entered upon his high vocation, and its prospects for continued financial success and usefulness never were better. Mr. Ernest H. Pierce is a live, active editor, who is bound to make the Journal a welcome visitor in every family.

—Congressman Morse of Canton has presented the Hunt School, Weymouth, with a large and valuable map of the United States.

—The published list of bond subscribers ought to be interesting to the tax assessors.

—The libel legislation asked for by the newspapers of Massachusetts is designed only to prevent speculation and groundless suits for libel, and will not stand in the way of any one who has any just cause for complaint against a newspaper.

—A daring New York syndicate has plans out for a 20 story building occupying an entire city block, and containing 100,000 offices. It is to be called King building and will be of steel, brick and stone and is fireproof.

—Massachusetts is going to break the record by hanging a millionaire for the murder of his wife and child, unless the verdict of the jury which convicted him can be upset in some way, or the Governor interposes his authority. —Pawtucket Gazette.

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—Massachusetts people to the number of 3,000,000 are to be the beneficiaries of the state the sum of \$40,000,000 or an average of \$100 for each family. As the deposits are increasing more rapidly than at any time since 1878, the third of Massachusetts may be pronounced satisfactory.

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**Household Receipts.**

**BOILED STEAK.** Few persons know how to cook beefsteak for an invalid. Have the meat cut quite an inch thick. Trim off the fat, and hold it on a grilliron over a very hot fire, turning it rapidly from side to side, that both surfaces may be thoroughly seared to retain the juice. Withdraw it a little from the extreme heat and cook four to eight minutes, as it is liked, rare or well-done. The same principle is involved in broiling chops or any meat.

**MEAT PUDDING WITH POTATO CRUST.** Make a thick gravy by frying one tablespoonful of butter and two tablespoonfuls of flour, one cupful of boiling water; add any meat, chopped fine, (not too fine), grate in this two ounces of grated cheese, of pepper, a little salt. This goes in the dish first.

**CRUST.** One cupful of flour, one heaping tablespoonful of butter, one cupful of milk, two eggs, one beaten, one cupful of grated potatoes, two cupfuls of bread crumbs. Mix the butter over the fire, stir in the flour, keep on stirring till quite hot; take off, add the milk, then eggs, one by one, then the potatoes and bread crumbs, mixed. Spread over the meat and bake one hour. Serve hot.

**PRINCE ALBERT SANDWICHES.** Take three eggs, beat them, add the size of a walnut, a little grated Parmesan cheese, a dash of salt and of cayenne pepper. Put all into a sausage pan and stir over the fire till it thickens. Cut some round pieces of bread, fry them in butter till of a nice brown. Spread the paste over them. Have some ham, or tongue, grated or chopped fine, to be strewn over them before serving.

**FRIED CAKE PUDDING.** Dip slices of stale cake in hot milk, drain, and fry in hot butter. Spread each with jam, and eat hot, with sauce.

**CURRIANT PUDDING.** One cupful of sugar, one cupful of a cupful of butter, one cupful of flour, one cupful of curriant, one and one-half teaspoonful of baking powder. Bake in patty pans, and eat with sauce.

**It Cured Her Headache.**

The pretty, plump, demure young woman who occupies the cashier's desk at a Nassau-street luncheon room sat on her elevated stool and rested her back in the hand. Her forehead was a network of fine lines, and she had no appreciable smile for the clerks and office boys who had come to believe in her inefficiency without cause, and she felt that they had had their dime's worth. She asked in the small change as it was tendered with a perfunctory air, and one could see she took no pleasure in her duties. It was plain that she had a severe headache, and wanted to be left alone to rest. "Please, never mind, and an easy sofa. Men who had had experience with women looked at her and felt sorry for her.

One such was a waiter who, custom being at that hour, was sweeping among the chairs and leaving no visible trace of his passage. He saw the pretty cashier sitting there with her face puckered up. He went over to her and tried to cheer her with a few words suitable to the occasion. She merely nodded a reply. "Let's see what I've got in my pocket for you," said the waiter, adopting the tone one uses toward a child. He felt in the depths of his jacket pocket, and brought forth a small object. "Here, you can have that to play with," said he. He laid it down and went about his business.

She picked it up without the least interest in the world and looked at it. It was a common red firecracker, and she had no use for it. She did not even smile at the humor of the gift. She finally thrust it into one of the wooden toothpicks that stood in a huge bunch before her. They were used for holding up the napkins, and the firecracker among them had a certain decorative effect that held her for a moment. Then she turned away and attended to her duties.

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**The Liquor Business as It Is.**

[CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK]

Wives, mothers, children and parents must suffer in order to sustain the saloon-keeper. All business is impaired by the saloon, for the people who lose money on account of drink are the very persons who are unable to buy as many shoes and hats and groceries as they require for their families. For every dollar the liquor business pays the public in taxes and revenue, it retains eleven dollars for the liquor maker and seller. It is then clearly wrong to give any one a license to sell liquor except as a medicine, or as other poisons are sold.

Indeed, if it is right to sell at all, every one should have that right, not one or two in a hundred. A vote for license makes the voter endorse the right to sell, and makes him responsible for all the saloon-keepers. It is helping public ruin within attractive and easy distance of men for money which is a serious crime. The man who gets liquor at a saloon soon becomes a pest in the town and an injury to society.

The liquor business does not really bring money to a city or town, careful estimates show that for every dollar received for license, the people of the city pay out in increased expenses from five to ten dollars, and when the amount of money paid for a license is reckoned, the dollar received is matched by over twenty dollars expended.

For such reasons most thoughtful people condemn the saloon. The churches, with hardly an exception, object to it in the strongest language, and everywhere we are hearing the cry "the saloon must go." Shall it be retained to please the brewer and the distiller and the liquor seller? Less than one in four of the cities and towns in Massachusetts vote for a liquor license. Surely your home should not have one. Be sure and vote "No License."

Concluded.

**For the Patriot.**

**New York Fashions.**

**SPRING AND SUMMER MATERIALS.**

Materials for spring and summer, like those of the winter, show a predominance of rough effects and unusual wearings. Crepons come forth with renewed prestige and while retaining former features, become attractive by reason of new colors and combinations. Delightful fabrics having fine cotton surfaces are chosen groundworks for floral patterns in silk that rise with characteristic crinkle and the same unities are apparent in light quality wools. New gingham and other fancy cottons display designs that stand out from the body of the goods and such idea is repeated in ways too varied for enumeration. Very frequently, however,

are in narrow stripes and it is safe to predict that they will predominate during the approaching season. Plaids, nevertheless, are conspicuous and often rendered most attractive in consequence of round additions in black that veil the bright-colored combinations beneath them. But plaids are intended for waists and as hitherto, will be preferably worn with black skirts that will show them off. Black skirts in general, will be extremely fashionable and as a foregone conclusion it may be argued that to run the risk of the whole world getting into the habit of wearing black, is in the zenith of their popularity.

**NEW DESIGNS.**

For making up, show no marked variation from what has been fashionable. Skirts still hang plain and stiffly; corsages yet remain the vantage ground for adornment that in many examples attain the limit of extravagance, and it may readily be inferred that the large sleeve is still in favor. Already leading dressmakers are busied in filling southern orders; one may see in their workrooms, yards of cotton fabrics, satins, silks, etc., and it can be noticed that they use preferably Clark's Mile End cotton, since good sewing requires good thread. It always comes on black spools and for the benefit of the ladies interested in crochets, a word can be added in commendation of the Mile End crochets. The Clark Mile End Company, 442 Broadway, New York, are advertising a book giving very beautiful colored patterns and directions which can be obtained by sending them ten cents postage. It is thus made cheerful at present by pretty handwork and time will be afforded for a selection of designs suitable for piazza linings.

**STIFF SILKS.**

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So, Sir Stephen, I'll ride with thee." *"*  
Quick the steps where the courser stards,  
Light she springs to the saddle-tree.

Love is better than kith or kin;  
So close she clung and so close clasped he  
They heard no sigh of the bitter wind  
Nor the snow that shuddered along the lea

Love is better than life or breath!  
The drifts are o'er the horse's knee.  
Softly they sink to the soft, cold death,  
And the snow-shroud folds them silently.

Houses and lands are gone for aye;  
Kith and kin like the wild wind ride  
Life and breath but fluttered away,  
And now each lies bound eternal

intured provincial maid! By my faith, Miss Sibyl, you'd put to shame many a court dame. But hark, what's that? A minute," and smilingly he held out his hand.

Sir Harry, by as he was, spite of his one-and-twenty years, was giving vent to a little boastful talk about the army and "those undisciplined rebels who would never stand the test against a full regiment of regulars."

"Very true," Sir Harry declared at length, "but Sibyl's of great interest," "we have positive information that their troops at Cambridge have neither arms nor ammunition to carry on a defence, and that they are in sorry condition every way—it is impossible for them to resist us successfully." "Full of the earth, I'll be attempt it," said the fae of the earth. If I be attempt it, I'll be attempt it."

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### Banquet to Faxon Guards.

Company F, more familiarly known as the Faxon Guards, and their friends were right royally entertained at Faxon Hall, Thursday evening, by Hon. Henry H. Faxon.

Company F is made up of seventeen young ladies with Miss Cornelia Elliott as captain. They organized last winter and were drilled by Lieut. Kincaide of Company K, Fifth Regiment, M. V. M., until they became very expert in marching. When they first organized they were without rifles, but Mr. Faxon becoming interested, one night at drill, presented each with a rifle and box of confectionery for ammunition. Since then he has adopted the company and because of his help and good will they called themselves, and became generally known as, "the Faxon Guards," and later on as Company F. Until Thursday evening the Faxon Guards have always done the entertaining, giving many drills in this city and surrounding towns for sweet charity's sake. Mr. Faxon thought it time they were entertained and repaid in part for their faithful drill work, and for always furnishing entertainment for others, hence the reception and dance.

For several months the young ladies in Company F have been talking of and looking forward to the affair. Mr. Faxon promising them a fine entertainment before the season was over. As a result of the promise over eighty handsome invitations to a reception and dance were sent out, reading as follows:

Company F will receive their friends Thursday evening, February twentieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-six, from 8 to 12 o'clock, at Faxon Hall, Quincy, Massachusetts.

Matrons, Mrs. Leslie B. Hardwick, Mrs. Eleanor F. Sproul, Mrs. Abigail B. Spear.

Accompanying the invitation was an admission card, and Mr. Faxon's card. All having fine vignettes of Mr. Faxon. The admission card read:

Company F's Reception, Thursday Evening, February Twentieth, Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-Six, From Eight to Twelve o'clock, Faxon Hall. Present this card at the door.

The hall was artistically trimmed with bunting and palms. On the platform were large potted palms and the stacked arms of Company F. From eight to nine a reception was held the guests being received by the matrons, Mrs. Arthur E. Sproul, Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick and Mrs. Samuel H. Spear, being introduced by the aids and members of Company F.

During the reception and for the dancing, Monk's orchestra discoursed most inspiring music. At nine o'clock the first strains of the grand march were heard, and soon all were in line led by floor director Mr. Henry L. Kincaide, and a pretty march it was, the ladies all looking bewitching in their dainty gowns, showing all the colors of the rainbow scintillating among the black silks worn by the men.

The order of dance was one of the most appropriate and handsome seen for several seasons. The star spangled banner occupying the upper left hand corner, and the stacked arms the lower right hand corner, with a shadowy camp scene in the background.

Lieut. Henry L. Kincaide who was of such valuable assistance to the young ladies of Company F when they organized last winter, was floor director, assisted by Mr. William S. Osborne, Mr. Frederick E. Goss and Mr. James L. Edwards. The order of dances were:

Grand March and Circle, Waltz, Schottische, Piana Quadrille, SUPPER, Potpourri, Piana, Schottische, Contra, Virginia Reel, Polka, Polka, Quadrille, "Sleigh Bells," Waltz.

Shortly after the grand march for supper was formed. Mr. Faxon with Miss Brown leading the way, followed by the matrons and their escorts, floor director Mr. H. L. Kincaide and Miss Litchfield, the aids and Faxon guards and guests.

The dining hall was prettily decorated with bunting and cut flowers. At the ladies' plates were fragrant pink roses and for the men there were pink.

The places at the tables were designated by card and after all were seated close attention was given for some time to the things set before them by caterers T. D. Cook & Co., of Boston.

The menu cards were very elaborate and in keeping with the invitations and dance orders. The front page was embossed with the words "Menu" in gold, the letters further ornamented with shells and seaweed with a bright lobster coming up from a sea of gold below. One inside page contained Mr. Faxon's latest photograph, while on the opposite page was the menu as follows:

MENU, Chickens Crouettes, French Peas, Olives, Sautéed Almonds, Assorted Fancy Cake, Ice cream, Chocolate Tartlets, Neapolitan, Small Fancies, Lemonade, Crackers and Neufchatel Cheese.

After supper Miss Cornelia Elliott, captain of the Faxon Guards welcomed the guests and said she wished to publicly thank Mr. Faxon for all that he had done for them and for the good time they, with their friends, were enjoying tonight. She said the Faxon Guards were proud of their name [applause] and in closing wished Mr. Faxon many, many years in which to reap the reward, for the many good seeds he has dropped by the wayside in past years. [loud applause]

In responding Mr. Faxon welcomed his guests and said he was proud of the Faxon Guards. He said his remarks were along historical lines and he would go back fifty years. He had taken particular pains to write it off so that his remarks should correspond with the copy he had already given the reporters [laughter] and then again some of those present might (7) remember back fifty years. [laughter]. I have a reminiscence relating to an event which occurred on this historic spot about fifty five years ago. A little red hood stood here (not a little red schoolhouse) [applause] and in it was given a benefit for a blind fiddler. I was present and danced. The floor sloped towards the middle and we all got there in a bunch. It was very old time. [applause]. To conclude the festivities we undertook to carry a chicken coop into the house, but failed because of the narrow entrance. If I had been as giddy [applause and laughter] the dance now I should either have stretched the doorway or squeezed the chicken-coop so as to have carried out the hilarious feature of the occasion. [applause]

Major Adams had been present, earlier in the evening but left just before supper.

Mr. Faxon said this upset him somewhat as he had some remarks written off [applause] however he should look upon Mr. Sproul as Mayor and so proceeded.

**Your Honor and Friends:** I am glad to welcome you upon this occasion and trust that the joys of this festive gathering will linger in your memory for many years.

To those who cannot be with us on account of illness I tender my sincere sympathy. May they soon be restored to perfect health. I have no doubt that you all feel safe in this presence.

Mr. Mayor, behold those rifles. Look upon the fair epics who know how to handle them with deadly precision. Suppose an emergency should arise whereby our city might be in danger from a foreign foe. Such invaders would surrender at the sight of our rifles.

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The Patriot job print has completed the printing of the Braintree town report for 1895. It makes a book of 228 pages and an edition of 1000 copies has been printed in about three weeks.

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Lent is here.

Stormy Sundays are frequent.

Miss Hubbard has a reminder in to-day's paper.

It does not take much snow to bring out the sleighs.

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Twelve degrees below zero at Wollaston Monday morning.

The Ladies' Foreign Missionary society of the Wollaston Baptist church met with Mrs. Josiah Sparrow on Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Adams, formerly pastor of the South Street church Boston, preached at the Wollaston Baptist church on Sunday morning. Mr. Adams took for his subject "Education;" his text being found in Prov. 4:6.

The Whatever Ten, King's Daughters, of Wollaston, held its business meeting at the residence of Mr. Edmund S. Taylor, Brook street, on Tuesday evening. A lunch was served after the election of officers, which resulted as follows:

President—Mr. Albert E. Rhodes. Vice President—Miss Winifred F. Howard.

Secretary and Treasurer—Miss Foster. Cutting Committee—Mrs. H. G. Kent, Mrs. Stanley and Mrs. E. S. Taylor.

Lookout Committee—Miss Marden, Miss Helen Foster and Miss Louise Cook. Mrs. Alphonso Williams of Wollaston is slowly convalescing from her recent severe sickness.

At the request of a large number of people the exhibition of illustrations by Charles Dana Gibson was repeated at the Wollaston Congregational church on Wednesday evening before a large audience.

The caption light effect greatly enhanced the illustrations. It was given under the auspices of the Seafast Ten, King's Daughters.

George and Martha Washington will give a reception to their friends, under the auspices of the Ladies' Society of the Methodist Episcopal church, on Wednesday evening, Feb. 25 at the house of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Ross, Central avenue, at 7:45.

The W. C. T. Union will meet Friday, Feb. 23, at 3 P. M., in the Congregational church.

Mr. L. Howland Jones of Wollaston arrived at New York from Europe on Wednesday.

The house of Mr. Albert H. Sayward, Highland avenue, on Thursday evening, by the choice of Mr. A. H. Sayward, president and Mr. John Barbary secretary and treasurer. A committee was appointed to draft rules.

Miss Maria Alice Carter, of Wollaston, student and graduate of Boston College of Oratory, and Miss Stella Maud Haynes, contralto and pupil of Sumner College, Boston, started for Maine Friday where they are to give a series of recitals.

Dr. Mary K. Gale-Warren formerly of Wollaston is at Waldo, Florida.

On Saturday, February 22 there will be a supper and social in the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church free to all members of the Sunday School.

Hodonsauke Tribe of Red Men of Wollaston worked the adoption and Hunt's degrees Thursday night. Visitors present from Quannapowitt tribe of Reading.

At the Baptist church, on Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, there will be a service of special interest. Mr. D. S. Jardine, as a recent convert from Romanism, will give his experience. Mr. D. S. Jardine is a French Canadian, converted 18 months ago, and compelled to leave his home because of his new faith. He will also be present at the morning service and make a short address.

Quincy will be well represented at the dinner of the Past Sachers' Association of the Red Men tonight, Feb. 22. Major Adams is one of the principal speakers, and Past Sachers Fairbanks, McAnaney and Jordan of the Wollaston Tribe will attend. The banquet will be at the Thorndike, Boston, at 6:30. The committee have spared neither time nor labor in their efforts to make this meeting the most successful and memorable of any in the history of the association.

Barny vespers service will be held at the Wollaston Unitarian church on Sunday. The quartette will sing the following pieces composed by Barny: "Sing and Rejoice," "Abide with Me," "Sweet is Thy Mercy Lord," "Now the day is over," "Miss Hayes will sing a solo from the "Messiah" at the morning service.

**Granite City Club Banquet.** Between forty and fifty members of the Granite City Club of Quincy, and the United States Hotel, Boston, Wednesday, it was the occasion of their first annual dinner, and it proved a grand success.

The members commenced to gather about six o'clock, and at seven the time designated for the feast, forty-five were ready to take seats at the festive board.

After enjoying an excellent bill of fare, which this hotel is capable of furnishing, Mr. Joseph C. Morse, president of the club, called the members to order, and expressed his thanks for the pleasure it gave him in seeing so many members present, and the success of this, the first annual dinner of the club.

A short and pleasing address by His Honor, the Mayor of Quincy, was then listened to with much attention. Short impromptu speeches were in order by officers and members of the club, followed by singing and stories; and two hours flew by rapidly.

The members did not begin to think of home until President Morse announced that the 10:15 train would leave in fifteen minutes; then all began to fancy it was time to start; and after a closing chorus, his social gathering came to an end.

**An Elegant Party.** One of the most elegant dances that has been given in Quincy this season was the subscription leap year party, which was given by Mrs. Chandler W. Smith and Mrs. Eugene H. Sprague, at the Knights of Honor hall, Wollaston, on Wednesday evening.

The guests as they arrived were ushered before the patrons of the affair, Mr. Herbert W. Lull, Mr. Eugene H. Sprague, Mr. Chandler W. Smith and Mr. Frank A. Page.

The costumes of the ladies were beautiful. The music was sublime, and the lurch which was served during the intermission by Hendrie was excellent.

A list of those present appeared in Thursday's Ledger.

**The Quickest and Best.** The Atlantic Coast Line, via Richmond, Va., has again placed at the service of the travelling public the celebrated "New York Special." Here is one of the triumphs of railroading as it enables tourists to reach the beautiful winter resorts of the South with perfect ease and with luxurious surroundings. One night only between Boston and Florida. Exclusively Pullman vestibuled train composed of dining, sleeping, library and observation cars. In a perfect road-bed running through a section of the country historical and picturesque. The route is via Washington and Richmond to Chesapeake, Savannah, Jacksonville, and St. Augustine. This is the quickest and best line also, to Thomasville, Brunswick, Aiken, Augusta and Middle Georgia.

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**Thomas Crane Public Library.** THE THOMAS CRANE PUBLIC LIBRARY will be closed SATURDAY, Feb. 22, 1896. Per order of the Trustees.

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The alarm Monday morning which confused the firemen came from Box 47. Jeremiah Sheehan saw some smoke coming from the chimney and thinking that was a fire ran to the box and pulled the book several times which was the cause of the confusion.

There was an Italian party on California avenue Tuesday evening, and when the affair broke up and the parties started for home there was a dispute which ended in two of the party coming to blows. Cesidio Coletti, another of the party, attempted to act as peacemaker and he stepped between the two men to separate them, but his good intentions ended in the usual way, for some one hit him with a black jack, so he says, which left a big hole in the top of his head. He reported the matter to the police, Wednesday, and they are now looking for the alleged assailant.

**SOUTH QUINCY.** Last evening Double's hall, Water street, was comfortably filled by a large company that had assembled to receive Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Raleigh, who had recently been married, and to wish them many pleasant days together.

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Among the most important matters asked for by the cutters last December was that a day's labor should be eight hours, and the elimination of what is known as the discrimination clause.

A number of meetings have been held between the two committees and while a number of small matters still remain unadjusted the most important question unsettled is the discrimination clause.

The men are firm in their demand to have that clause stricken out, while the manufacturers are just as firm in their wish to have it remain in, and here the whole matter hinges. March 1st is the time the agreement expires.

Many of the cutters are strongly opposed to a strike although they have the promise of support from other unions.

All agree that there is considerable of that going on now but how much more so would it be, they say, they do not know, as he was upon them who are disposed to abide by and live up to the bill of prices.

Secretary McAdams of the Cutters' Union when interviewed, said things looked bad, and although he personally was not in favor of striking, many of the men were, and he could not tell the outcome.

James Duncan, of Baltimore, secretary of the Granite Cutters' National Union, arrived in Quincy Thursday night and was in conference with the Cutters' committee Friday, and was present last night at a joint meeting between the Manufacturers and Cutters' committees.

An effort will be made to settle the differences in a peaceable manner, and it is hoped it may be successful.

What the outcome of this meeting will be it is hard to tell, but the condition of affairs in the granite industry for the balance of the year will depend on what understanding the two committees come to.

After the joint meeting of the two committees the cutters will hold a mass meeting to hear the report and take such action as seems expedient.

### A Republican Club.

In response to invitations sent out to some of the more prominent Republicans, the following gentlemen met in Durgin & Merrill's block Tuesday evening to take some action toward the formation of a Republican club.

John F. Merrill, Warren W. Adams, Frederick L. Jones, Lester M. Pratt, Charles A. Howard, John Q. A. Field, Russell A. Sears, Warren J. Hildon, George H. Field, Harry W. Road, Albert Keating, Charles H. Johnson, James P. Clare, Henry O. Fairbanks, T. H. Newcomb, Stephen O. Moxon, H. B. Brown, Walter S. Pinkham and Wellington W. Mitchell.

John F. Merrill presided, and he stated that it had been thought advisable to form a Republican club in Quincy, and for that reason the meeting had been called.

Remarks followed by nearly every gentleman present, and it was noted that there were about as many ideas expressed as there were gentlemen present.

Some thought a great mistake had been made in ignoring the Ward and City Committees as committees that it would cause the impression to go forth that it was for a select few. Others thought the invitation should have been a general one and still others thought that the proper method had been taken, and after the organization had been completed an invitation would be extended to all Republicans to become members. There should be no division between this club and the Ward and City Committee or with any other organization, as it did not aim to antagonize any of them, but all should work together.

Warren W. Adams moved "That a Republican club be organized in Quincy." Walter S. Pinkham offered an amendment, "to further the interests of the party in National and State affairs."

This caused some discussion. The amendment was voted down and the original motion carried.

It was then voted that a committee of seven be appointed to prepare a constitution, to formulate a plan for the organization of this club and report at a future meeting.

The committee consists of the following gentlemen: John F. Merrill, Warren W. Adams, Charles H. Johnson, Frederick L. Jones, George L. Miller, Henry O. Fairbanks, Harry W. Road.

It was then voted that each of the committees invite three other gentlemen, one whom shall be the chairman of the Ward committee to be present at the next meeting.

The meeting then adjourned until Saturday evening.

### Nineteenth Birthday.

Mrs. Sarah A. Burrell was ninety years old Sunday, and many of her friends in Quincy and adjoining towns called to congratulate her. She is very hale and hearty, old lady and has good use of all her limbs, except a wrist, which she accidentally injured a few weeks ago by a fall. Her hearing and eyesight are also very good. She has attended the Universalist church nearly every Sunday during the past year and winter set in; and is looking forward to good, pleasant weather, so that she can go out again. She is believed to be the oldest lady in the city, and certainly one of the smartest. She has been keeping house until she went to visit one of her daughters, Mrs. Lovell, in North Weymouth, about Thanksgiving time, where she had the fall. She is now stopping with a daughter, Mrs. N. B. Fernald, on Washington street. We intend to call and see her when she is one hundred years old.

### Board of Trade.

The directors of the Board of Trade held a meeting Thursday evening and talked over informally quite a number of matters. The committee to whom was referred the matter of the extension of the Quincy railroad was not ready to report and asked further time.

The matter of the proposed change in the grade of Hancock street was brought up and was referred to the Committee on Highway Improvements.

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### Yesper Music.

The music sung at 8 o'clock vesper at the Unitarian church on Sunday will be "Saviour when night involves the Skies," Shelley "Seek Ye the Lord," J. V. Roberts "O Saving Victim," J. V. Roberts "Grant us Thy Peace," Gounod "Tenor Solo," Beethoven's "Faithful."

J. Roland Orcutt, well known at North Weymouth as a storekeeper and postmaster, died Saturday evening, aged 55 years. He leaves a widow.

## CITY BRIEFS.

The will of Margaret M. Hade has been filed at Dedham.

A Christian Endeavor column appears in the LEADER every Friday.

It is a sure sign of spring when you see the boys playing marbles.

Spring is coming if we can judge by the fine weather we have had the past two days.

George W. Jones has received the spring style in hats and makes a good window display.

Work on the new bowling alley near Wilson's market is being rushed toward completion.

The board of managers of the Adams Academy will meet for organization next Wednesday evening.

Albert Keating is building a large addition to the store occupied by A. F. Hall on Washington street.

There was no Quincy business at the Norfolk county probate court in Hyde Park on Wednesday.

The Woodward Institute will probably be enlarged before the opening of the fall term in September.

F. P. Loud was on Saturday elected one of the executive committee of the 6th Regimental Association.

Mr. Gibbs the Temple street fish dealer appeared out this week with a handsome new wagon, horse and harness.

George W. Penman has severed his connection with the Boston Standard, because of his State House duties.

Merrymount lodge, A. O. U. W., initiated two new candidates at its meeting Tuesday evening and received one application.

Mayor Adams, City Treasurer Gray and Chairman Collins made a visit of inspection to the police station Wednesday evening.

The young men of the Congregational church have been invited to a social gathering and turkey supper on March 4.

Clerk John P. S. Churchill of the District Court has removed his Boston office from 23 School street to 39 Court street.

Mr. E. H. Dawson's historical paper will be continued weekly in the PATRIOT and on Mondays and Fridays in the DAILY LEADER.

W. H. Fay, who has been confined to his home by illness for nearly eight weeks, made his first appearance on the street Thursday.

Henry H. Faxon was among the guests and speakers at the reception of the Boston Woman's Christian Temperance Union on Monday evening.

The degree staff of Mount Union college, I. O. O. F., went to East Weymouth Thursday evening to work the third degree for Crescent lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burbeck, formerly of this city, spent the 23d here. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pratt of Edwards street.

By a new rule of the telephone company, subscribers who use the instrument at the central telephone office will be charged the same as non-subscribers.

Sunday was Mr. A. L. Hood's last day as chorister of the Centre Congregational church. He will be succeeded by Mr. Sidelinger of Weymouth.

Monatiquet lodge, K. of P., had a banquet and dance at Brainerd, Wednesday evening, largely attended by members of the order of Brainerd and Quincy.

The annual parish meeting of the Universalist society of this city will be held at the church, on Thursday evening next.

The body of Rev. George E. Allen of Fall River who died Feb. 9, was brought to Quincy Monday for burial at Mt. Wollaston cemetery. He was 67 years of age.

At the drive-whist party at the Granite City club on Wednesday evening, the lady's prize was won by Mrs. Joseph C. Morse, and the gentlemen's by Deputy Sheriff Field.

George Peterson of Houghs Neck was quite badly kicked by a horse last week. One blow struck him in the chin and the other in the arm.

George L. Miller left his carriage standing in front of Miss Hubbard's store for a few moments Monday evening, when a swill team came along and ran into the carriage, capturing it and breaking a wheel.

The Tufts College Glee club does not attempt the classical, giving preference to rolling college songs which the majority of people who go to hear college boys sing, prefer. Aren't you going to hear them March 4th?

The house committee of the Quincy Yacht club met and organized on Tuesday evening. Mr. Fred B. Rice was re-elected chairman, and Mr. C. Eaton Pierce was elected secretary. A set of house rules were drawn up, and other minor business was transacted.

Henry H. Faxon has presented the new paper, correspondence of this city with the handsome bound volumes of "Men of Progress of Massachusetts." The book contains one thousand biographical sketches and portraits of leading business and professional men in the State.

The twenty-second was passed in a very quiet manner in Quincy. The provision of the club was kept open during the morning hours. In the afternoon there was nothing for excitement except to witness Rogers Bros. housing lie. Saturday evening three drunks arrived from Boston and were locked up.

The home of William H. Mulligan on Union street was blessed with a pair of twins on Sunday evening. As the wife had presented her first husband with two or three pair, on former occasions, it was not so much a surprise to him, as it might have been to some other gentleman in this city. God bless this numerous household.

Mr. Alexander Carlson met with a peculiar accident on Feb. 21. He was seated at the dinner table at his boarding house on Quincy street, when a flying rock weighing twenty-five pounds from a blast at the Craig & Richards Granite Quarry crashed through the window and struck him on the head inflicting a painful injury. He was removed to the City Hospital.

The Italian Social club held an entertainment and dance at Hancock hall Saturday evening, which was attended by the larger part of the Italian residents of Quincy. The drama "Il Primo Maggio" ("The First of May") was presented by members of the club, the several parts being well taken. There was also pleasing vocal solos by Dr. De Amozza being accompanied by Mr. A. Devoto of the Conservatory of Music, Boston, and also solo by Mr. A. Brogi and Annie Brogi. The floor was cleared for dancing at 10 o'clock.

The first social of the N. E. O. P. was held in Faxon hall Wednesday evening. At 8.15 the grand march was formed led by Mr. S. A. Souther and Miss Beatrice Porterfield, who were followed by fifty couples. From that time until twelve o'clock the dancers kept time to the music rendered by Bates' orchestra of Brainerd. This social was pronounced by all a most enjoyable affair and when it was announced that the next social would take place March 12th, it was greeted with approval. Much credit is due to the floor director, Mr. Frank A. Souther and his aids, Mr. Thompson B. Crane and Mr. C. Leonard Hewson, for the able manner in which the social was conducted.

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## ATLANTIC.

Washington's birthday passed off quietly in Atlantic with the exception that some boys on Billings street, celebrated with fire crackers. The Bijou pool parlors under Music hall were pasted day all day.

George E. Sweet, formerly of Atlantic, now located in Weymouth, was the guest of Walter P. Hill on Saturday last week.

Mrs. S. M. Bennett and Miss Bennett of Boston, who spent Washington's birthday and Sunday in Rockland, as the guests of Mrs. F. B. Clark.

The sunlight at Music hall, Atlantic, on Washington's birthday was well attended and the dancing was enjoyed so much that dancing was continued well into the evening.

[The congregation at both morning and evening service at the Memorial Congregational church, Atlantic, on Sunday was very large as has been the case of late. The pastor preached both morning and evening and with the assistance of the choir in the morning the service was very enjoyable. The singing at the evening service was by a quartette.

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The subject discussed will be "The Relation of Parents to the Sunday School." The following well known persons are expected to speak: Miss Sarah L. Arnold, a Boston school superior; Rev. Edward A. Horton, president of the Unitarian S. S. society; and Rev. Thos. Van Ness, pastor of the Second church of Boston.

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Mr. Harry Moses of South Quincy has gone to Barre, Vt.

Mr. Arthur Steep spent Washington's birthday with his parents on Rodman street.

Miss Mary Gallagher has accepted a position as clerk at the Phoenix pharmacy. The granite business has taken a boom and from now out things will be rushing it is hoped.

Mrs. Michael Daly of Water street fell last week at her home fracturing a rib.

Miss Catherine Tinker of Franklin street has gone to Concord, N. H., on a two weeks' visit to her parents.

The flag was at half mast on the Adams school Tuesday in respect to a third grade pupil, Willie Haynes, who died suddenly Monday.

Work has begun on the new fish market on Water street.

The ladies' auxiliary of the St. John's C. I. & A., will hold a leap year party after Lent.

Mr. Nelson Hersey has just purchased a horse and is now prepared to do all carting and jobbing promptly. As spring is coming, and you will want to move, remember that Mr. Hersey is prepared to accommodate you.

The afternoon meeting at the Calvary Baptist church will be addressed on Sunday by Rev. A. M. Merrill of Boston, who will speak of his personal experiences as a missionary in Africa. Mr. Merrill was under Bishop Taylor, of the Self-support Mission, and knows what it is to be left alone in the heart of Africa without support.

The railroad crossing gates at East Mill have been frozen for a week.

Rev. Mr. Dugherly will preach at the Congregational church Sunday for the last time. The society will then hear candidates from whom to select a pastor.

Mr. D. J. Brown gave an entertainment and supper Tuesday evening to the Sunday school of the Baptist church.

The young people are looking forward to the coming leap year party of the 4th.

A pleasing musical and literary entertainment for the benefit of the Congregational church was given at Ellsworth hall on Wednesday evening. Those to contribute were: Miss Mary Webster, pianist; Miss Lillian Landon, soprano soloist; Miss Gertrude Dennis, violinist; Miss Elna Joslin, soprano soloist.

It is claimed that the recent caucus was not called according to the caucus act and all of the candidates nominated have filed nomination papers.

The Warrant Committee, which have been considering the several articles in the warrant for the annual town meeting to be held next Monday, make the following recommendations:

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—Senator Vest objects to the expenditure of \$125,000 per annum for flowers for the White House.

—If one-half the time wasted in expelling idiotic fads was devoted to teaching everything, if they were to be done at once if the government's suit is sustained, it would be a great improvement.

—In certain cities there is a strong tendency to introduce fads and hobbies into the public schools. A gentleman living in one of these unfortunate places complained that the school committee were intent upon introducing type-writing, sewing, cooking, and other such fashions to the school which his daughter attended, that the fundamental studies were not receiving the time and attention which are needed for a sound education. Plainly the public schools cannot be expected to teach everything. If they are to be young to be cooks, dressmakers, carpenters and millwrights, which the limit be drawn?—*Pawtucket Chronicle.*

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## School House Plans.

A member of the School Committee when in regard to the charges made by Councilman Sprague at the Council meeting of Feb. 17, did not know that Mr. Moxon had ever seen any of the other plans and did not see any reason in Councilman Sprague's claim. As a matter of fact there were other plans than that of Mr. Moxon presented at the special meeting of the School Board, and as the committee understood, at Councilman Sprague's suggestion. The committee did not consider that the time had, even now, expired for approving plans, and had other plans been presented at this meeting by Mr. Moxon was a letter in which he stated that one member had objected to the corridors and he had objected to the committee in view of the difficulties arising last year, by approving several sets of plans, had deemed it wise in order to expedite matters to approve but one set of plans this year and in carrying out this idea they had selected those which seemed to meet the most requirements, and if these did not meet the approval of the Council some other set would probably be approved.

He did not think the remarks were at all called for, as there had never been any suggestion that these plans must of necessity come through the Committee on Public Buildings of the Council.

Mr. Moxon was also seen by a representative of the DAILY LEDGER and asked if he cared to say anything for publication, in relation to the statements made in Councilman Sprague at the last meeting of the Council, concerning plans for school buildings.

He was found ready to talk and said: "I hardly think it necessary to make any comments, because I do not believe that the statements will be considered of importance, further than that they may indicate a repetition of the shiftings and obstructive tactics of last year, which prevented the building of the much needed school building. It may be remembered in order for me to say, that the plans approved by the School Board do not contain a single feature which did not appear in them at first presented, and which were also contained in plans presented by me last year. The same statement of fact became so apparent. In fact the present plans do not present any constructional 'ideas' which are not embodied in the present Lincoln school building, but the addition of one school room gives a different appearance and new and more room for the other conveniences. It also compels a comparatively greater cost of construction. So far as ideas are concerned, this is the 'whole story.' It is also an absolute fact, that up to the present moment I have not seen a single line of any of the competing plans, and have no knowledge whatever of their provisions or appearance."

"I am quite unable to understand just what the position of the Councilman is, or why he is apparently so unwilling to let the decision of the School Board. It is possible that some one of the other plans has advantages, which, while quite apparent to Mr. Sprague, do not present themselves to the observation of the members of the School Board. But this is hardly seen to justify the extraordinary statements which the Councilman is reported to have made, and which have been published so broadly, as to become a serious reflection upon our community. It is unfortunate that our municipal affairs can not be discussed, and matters properly adjusted, without the public use of statements, so inopportune in their character, as to lead any one not closely conversant with the real facts, to be very unfavorably impressed by the published reports."

—Massachusetts is today, as she has often been before, the conspicuous exponent of scholarly eloquence in the national Senate. No state can boast of two such accomplished orators as our own Horace and Lodge. When they speak the Senate listens, and the country listens, and their language is more than any mere trick of rhetoric. It is logical, finished and profound, and it appeals more to the ear than to the understanding.—*Boston Journal.*

—The American newspaper correspondents in Cuba now have an excellent chance to write accounts of their own experiences.—*Rosbury Gazette.*

—It has twice been reported, within two weeks that Dr. Nansen, the Norwegian explorer, had found the North Pole, and that he was on the way home. Several unsuccessful Arctic explorers, whose names by now are familiar to the public, have, however, ridiculed the story. Nansen's discovery of the North Pole, and his finding it on land instead of in the open sea. If Nansen gets home safely without the assistance of a searching party he will be doing more than most of the other Arctic explorers have done even if he has not found the North Pole.—*Worcester West Chronicle.*

—Weymouth is a great place for tramps. One hundred were accommodated one night last week.

—It is understood that a party of prospectors will leave Boston on March 15, via the Boston & Maine, Central Vermont, Grand Trunk, Chicago & Grand Trunk, Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, and Denver & Rio Grande Railways, for a trip to Crispie Creek and return. Messrs. Steadman & Kellogg, well-known bankers, have the matter in charge, and in a comprehensive circular, gotten out by these gentlemen the advantages of going early are set forth. They will be pleased to open communication with all parties interested in this section of the country. For further particulars address, Steadman & Kellogg, No. 8 Congress Street, Boston, Mass.

—There are 1100 students at the Stanford University in California, but the Stanford continues to assert that it will be closed at once if the government's suit is sustained. It gives good health because it builds upon the true foundation—pure blood.

—Senator Vest objects to the expenditure of \$125,000 per annum for flowers for the White House.

—If one-half the time wasted in expelling idiotic fads was devoted to teaching everything, if they were to be done at once if the government's suit is sustained, it would be a great improvement.

—In certain cities there is a strong tendency to introduce fads and hobbies into the public schools. A gentleman living in one of these unfortunate places complained that the school committee were intent upon introducing type-writing, sewing, cooking, and other such fashions to the school which his daughter attended, that the fundamental studies were not receiving the time and attention which are needed for a sound education. Plainly the public schools cannot be expected to teach everything. If they are to be young to be cooks, dressmakers, carpenters and millwrights, which the limit be drawn?—*Pawtucket Chronicle.*

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## The Quincy Patriot.

QUINCY, SATURDAY, MAR. 7, 1896.

### The Governor Dead.

THE Sudden death of our popular and beloved Governor on Thursday morning has cast a gloom throughout the State. The funeral will take place from the Unitarian church, in Lowell, on Monday, and will be as simple as possible, as our late Governor decidedly objected to any military pomp and civic ceremonies.

Three times elected and always popular with the citizens of the Commonwealth, shows the high esteem of Massachusetts for Governor Greenhalgh. He fulfilled the high office to which he was elected with great credit to his constituents and himself. He was elected to Congress in 1858 after a hot campaign and his first contest for the governorship was one of the State's most memorable campaigns. His keen logic and eloquence on the stump won the day and easy victories followed in 1864 and 1865.



Quincy recalls with pleasure two enjoyable visits from Governor Greenhalgh. His Excellency favored us with his presence and a speech at the dedication of our new high school building, Sept. 11, 1894, and was photographed in a group at the close. About a year later, Sept. 28, 1895, he attended our grand fête in aid of the City Hospital on President's hill, which he was pleased to term a red letter day for himself. It was children's day, also, and he gave them a reception, which was a proud day in the lives of many of our little folks. Mr. Greenhalgh was also in Quincy before his election as Governor, speaking at Hancock hall during his first campaign, with J. O. Wardwell Esq., and Rev. A. E. Winslow.

### Annual Water Report.

The Water Commissioners made their annual report to the City Council this week, and it contains much of interest to taxpayers and citizens. It will be seen from the figures that the income will more than meet the maintenance and interest, but that an appropriation is still required for the annual payments of debt.

During the year six miles of pipe have been laid and 54 hydrants set.

The unexpended balance on hand Jan. 1, 1895, for maintenance was \$1,322,061; amount appropriated, \$45,000; balance on hand Dec. 31, 1895, \$1,377,061.

With this amount 345 new services were added, water mains were extended to Houghs Neck, also through West, Willard, Charles, and Robertson streets, Highland avenue and several other minor extensions.

The total amount received from the sale of water for the year ending Dec. 31, 1895, was \$45,480.67. The estimated gross receipts for the year 1896 are \$49,500; and the amount required for maintenance, \$15,500.

The amount of water bills collected Jan. 1, 1895, was \$9,008.63. On Jan. 1, 1896, of this amount had been collected or the water turned off except in some few cases where this was impossible on account of more than one house being supplied by the same service.

The board say that they are of the opinion that it would be a saving to the city if the ordinances were amended, so that regular bills may be paid annually and meter bills quarterly, and that the use of the receipts may be applied to the extending of service pipes, also that the department should have credit for the new hydrants set each year and that the receipts received from the sale of water should be credited to the department.

The water in the reservoir reached its lowest point, Oct. 12, being 26 feet below the lowest point in 1894.

The average daily consumption during the year was 991,452 gallons, an increase of 106,153 gallons over the average of 1894. The total consumption during the year was 359,045,439 gallons. The maximum quantity used was 1,698,482 gallons on June 24, and the minimum quantity was 625,760 on Feb. 17.

Several commissions have been had with the Metropolitan Commission, and the board believe the present system can be reinforced if the consumption requires it and that the full benefit of the Metropolitan supply will be received within three years. With this assurance they feel it wise to spend any great amount of money on the present basin or pumping station.

The total length of street mains Dec. 31, 1895, was 62,011 miles; number of services connected 2,560; number of hydrants, 332.

Financial Exhibit.

| EXPENSES.                                                |             |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Office, including salary of superintendent, clerk, etc., | \$4,227.11  |
| Pumping station, including salaries, \$4,787.10          |             |
| General maintenance of reservoir, stand pipes, etc.,     | \$3,243.23  |
| Unexpended balance,                                      | \$241.58    |
| BOND ACCOUNT.                                            |             |
| Amount issued Dec. 31, 1893,                             | 70,000.00   |
| Amount issued in 1894,                                   | 20,000.00   |
| Amount issued in 1895,                                   | 45,000.00   |
| Total,                                                   | \$75,000.00 |
| Bonds paid in 1893,                                      | \$1,000.00  |
| Bonds paid in 1894,                                      | 25,000.00   |
| Bonds paid in 1895,                                      | 25,000.00   |
| Total,                                                   | \$81,000.00 |
| Bonds outstanding,                                       | \$75,000.00 |

### Tufts College Concert.

It was a stormy night but the boys were there; and those who braved the storm, enjoyed one of the finest entertainments of the season, Wednesday evening, at Faxon hall. The Glee club is one of the best in the State, and the mandolin and guitar playing would be hard to surpass. The reader, Mr. Schellard, was exceptionally fine and received many encores. It would be impossible to give the programme in full as each number was announced from an extensive repertoire. Perhaps the song most enjoyed was one entitled "E. J. J." a solo by Mr. Guy P. P. P., the manager, accompanied by the Glee club. The concert was given under the auspices of the Young People's Christian Alliance of the Unitarian church. The committee of arrangements were Mr. Arthur P. P. P., Mr. Herbert F. N. N., Miss Annie F. Swift, Miss Maud H. Cudworth and Miss Abbie Barnes, assisted by Miss Mary H. Cudworth and Miss Lillian Gay.

The Committee on Railroads reported on Tuesday in the House a bill authorizing the Old Colony Railroad Company to take land on Kennelwood and Federal streets to a new station and to issue \$1,000,000 in new stock to pay for same.

—First class work and perfect satisfaction is Frank A. Locke the piano tuner's motto—see ad, cut of piano. if

## CITY BRIEFS.

John W. Nash has been in Vermont on a visit.

There is no doubt about it, we are having March weather.

The birth of two babies born on the 29th are recorded in today's paper. Hope that the lamb is not far behind.

Mr. H. P. Fernald, No. 16 Newcomb street is confined to the house with a gripe.

T. L. Williams, the jeweler, will occupy his new store at 104 Hancock street, about March 10.

A little over three months to the Republican Presidential convention in St. Louis—June 16.

Mr. Alfred P. Tinel returned Sunday at Cambridge. "The Heaven and Earth shall pass away."

Quincy Council C. of C. worked the first degree upon nine candidates at its meeting Tuesday evening.

Mr. John A. Pratt is spending the week at Newton with his sisters, Mrs. James Tower and Miss Mary Kent.

The N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. have had under contemplation for some time the issuing of 50-trip Boston tickets.

Republican caucuses to elect delegates to the Massachusetts Constitutional convention will be held Wednesday, March 13.

Those people who were awake in the vicinity of 2 A. M. Wednesday were startled by several sharp flashes of lightning.

Mrs. Joshua Fisher, one of Quincy's oldest residents has been in poor health for some days and had an ill turn Tuesday.

The many friends of Mrs. Sarah A. Burwell will be pleased to know that she is improving every day, and can use her left hand quite a little.

Mrs. William Davis has returned, after a week's visit at Fair Haven and Rutland, Vt., where she was called to attend the funeral of her aunt.

The City Council will meet again next Monday evening, and are promised a report from the Committee on Public Buildings on new schoolhouses.

The committee on prisons of the Legislature have recommended that the bill providing for early changes in the prison building at Dedham.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Durgin arrived home yesterday from Florida. After the summer weather of Florida, old New England seemed to give them a cold reception.

William Bennett had part of the toes of one of his feet taken off at the Quincy depot Tuesday night by a barrel of beer which he was loading falling upon it.

The Quincy Quail Railroad has petitioned the Legislature for extension of time for the proposed location to "North Common." It was admitted in the House Monday.

Chief of Police Hayden in his annual report will urge the necessity of a new police station, a police signal system and a patrol wagon. His estimate for this department for the ensuing year is \$12,300.

The Trustees of the Thomas Crane Public Library organized Wednesday evening by the choice of Rev. E. C. Butler as chairman, Harrison A. Keith as secretary, and George W. Morton as treasurer.

There will be a meeting of the Fragment society in the Unitarian chapel, Wednesday evening, at two o'clock. Will the committee appointed for the church social of March 18th be present at this meeting.

The Committee on Public Buildings of the City Council have asked the School Board to approve of a set of school-house plans, and two sets may be presented to the Council for consideration.

Mrs. R. Mitchell of South street, who has been seriously ill for the past six weeks, is now able to be about again; and her nurse, Mrs. M. C. Wood, graduate of the City Hospital, has returned to her home at West Quincy.

A Needham item in the Herald reports Mr. George G. Wells of this city to have purchased the estate of George L. Cutting consisting of home, barn and 18 acres of land on Highland avenue, at a price largely in excess of the assessed valuation.

Mr. Henry H. Faxon, who has been confined to the house since Saturday last by a severe cold, is out again, and is looking for that paper for signatures for membership in the new Republican club. He does not fear being blackballed and says nothing would suit him better.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Foster entertained the Crystal Whist club at their residence on School street, Wednesday evening. After two hours play refreshments were served and the guests were then treated to some musical selections on the banjo, mandolin and guitar by Mr. and Mrs. Foster and Mr. C. H. Pennington.

Sea street below the Adams farm was badly drifted Thursday morning. An attempt was made to make a road to keep the street open and the attempt was partly successful, but the high wind in the night undid all the work and Thursday morning the milk man from Rock Island came across lads finding it a much easier method of getting through.

There is a movement on foot to close the stores in the center of the city on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings each week and papers to that effect are being circulated. This seems to be a move in the right direction, although many of the business men claim that business is so quiet now, that they cannot afford to close more than two nights as at present.

The feminine members of the Round-About club were entertained by Mrs. Jasper B. Wentworth at her pretty apartment in Dorchester on Wednesday afternoon and after partaking of a dainty lunch, and adopting a few resolutions, Mrs. William H. Meers of Chelsea extended an invitation to the entire club to enjoy her hospitality on next Tuesday evening, which is a sufficient guarantee of a red letter night.

The Quincy club of this city and the Algonquin club of Brockton have arranged to play tournaments in whist and pool beginning on Friday of this week at Brockton. March 12 they play at Quincy, March 17 at Brockton, and March 23 at Quincy. The whist representatives of the local club are: Elbridge Porter, Dexter E. Wadsworth, Russell A. Sears and J. Percival Sears. At pool: Warren Edwards, Herbert Porter and H. M. Feherlin, Jr.

Saturday evening, a number of young ladies and gentlemen entertained themselves and guests at Mrs. C. Randall's in a variety of ways. It was quite a grand affair. There were spirited card dancing, impersonations from drawings and acting, singing and instrumental music, free reading by a talented Quincy girl, and a continued performance of fun and originality that rivaled Keith's. It is hoped this may be repeated as an appeal to some local charity.

A singular accident happened to a lady Tuesday afternoon, at the corner of Canal and Mechanic streets. As she was crossing the street, she stepped into a catch basin which was constructed and the entrance was directly at the corner. After while it was covered with a lattice work of iron but the rods were so far apart that the lady got one foot through and was unable to extricate it without help. She was in her uncomfortable position ten or fifteen minutes. The grating was covered with snow and she did not notice it as she approached. Commissioner Knowlton was early on the scene and also visited the lady.

The Hancock House may be closed, as it is advertised to let.

See what Miss Hubbard says in her "ad." about the U. S. senate.

Mr. H. L. Rice sailed for the West Indies on Tuesday.

A number from Quincy attended the "Exhibition" at the Boston theatre Thursday evening.

The flags on City Hall and school buildings have been at half mast in respect to Gov. Greenhalgh.

Mrs. F. P. Pond, after a visit of three weeks at New York with her daughter, returned Tuesday night.

Some fine specimens of the work of Silas B. Duffield, Jr., the artist, are on exhibition in the Boston window.

The infant son of Mr. Osborne Rogers has been quite sick this week with the croup but is now much better.

The Norfolk South District Medical society held its monthly meeting and dinner at the Greenleaf Thursday.

There is considerable sickness just at present but the board of health report that there are no new cases of diphtheria.

The places of business in Quincy will probably close Monday afternoon during the hours of the funeral of Gov. Greenhalgh.

Mrs. George H. Brown, who met with an accident Tuesday at the corner of Canal and Mechanic streets, has been confined to her bed since.

Mrs. Hanson Bailey, one of our aged citizens, who has been quite sick for many weeks, is some better, but still is troubled quite badly with sciatic rheumatism.

A new Board of Health adopted regulations at its meeting Feb. 29 which are advertised today. There have been many minor changes and some additional rules.

Business still continues quiet at the District court, but perhaps it is the quietest that proceeds a storm, and a rush of business may therefore be expected at any time.

The New England Telephone Co. have modified their recent rigid order somewhat, and subscribers are again permitted to use the booth at the central station free of charge.

A gang of men was kept at work nearly all day Thursday shoveling off the sidewalk on School street. On Friday the city scraper was out cleaning out the gutters.

The Board of Managers of Adams Academy met and transacted business Wednesday evening and elected Mr. James L. Howard, chairman and Mr. Charles L. Edwards, secretary.

Persons who have failed to find Gov. W. Prescott & Son among the subscribers in the telephone book should look for the old firm name which continued to be used by the telephone people.

There will be a public union meeting of the Guilds of the Wollaston and Quincy Unitarian churches next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock in the chapel of the Unitarian church, Quincy. Subject: "Theodore Parker."

Mr. Wollaston lodge of Old Fellows are considering the erection of an Old Fellows building and a committee has been appointed to look into the matter. Wanted, in Quincy, a large hall.

There seems to be a demand for another concert by the Tufts College Glee club as there were many who desired to go Wednesday evening that were kept away by the inclement weather.

President Graham of the Quincy and Brockton street railway says that rebuilding the line between Neponset and Quincy Point bridge will be commenced as soon as the frost is out of the ground. As the road is to be rebuilt it would not be a bad idea for the City Council to order the tracks into the middle of Hancock street.

There was not a large attendance at the annual parish meeting of the Universalist society on Thursday evening. George H. Hilly was elected Moderator, and after hearing the reports of committees, which were read, the meeting adjourned for three weeks.

Mrs. George Phillips gave a very pretty whist party at her home on Washington street Thursday evening. The prizes were won by Mr. C. G. Dalton and Mrs. Frank Stoddard. Cakes, ices and chocolate were served in the dining room by the hostess, after which Mrs. Morrill and Mrs. Woodsum of Braintree accompanied by Miss Grace Batson sang some very pleasing selections.

The magnificently illustrated "Story of the Great Rebellion" which is to be given at Hancock hall Monday evening, March 16, deserves the patronage of all. Over 125 stereoscopic views will be shown. Mr. Nickerson, the narrator, under whose direction the whole entertainment will be, has been addressing the public for nearly 15 years and never fails to hold the attention of an audience.

One of the prettiest dancing-parties of the season was given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atkinson Price of Adams street on Thursday evening. Congratulations and good wishes were showered on Miss May St. Rice and Mr. Homer Bigelow, Jr., whose engagement had just been announced. Frappe and dainty cakes were served throughout the evening, the latter being prepared by the hostess, and although the supper was dispensed with, a commendable departure from conventionality.

Mr. D. Vinton Pierce of this city has had all the expenses of New Hampshire floods that he visits at Centre despatch, although he was more fortunate than his neighbors who live on lower land, all of whom deserted their houses. He was advised to flee for safety but did not desert the ship. There was a river flowing down his driveway and great cakes of ice were deposited on his front lawn. Some streets were blocked with ice 20 to 30 feet square and about 3 feet thick piled up to the limbs of the trees, and the water and ice were carried away. The bridge and dam were carried away.

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## WOLLASTON.

Mr. George P. Keith, a former resident of Wollaston and son of City Clerk Keith, was on Monday elected a member of the board of selectmen of Hudson.

Mr. Al Williams, Jr., and Mr. Stephen D. Welsh of Wollaston returned on Tuesday from three days' gunning trip to Walpole with a half a dozen fat rabbits.

Ex-Councilman Charles E. Sherman had a narrow escape from a serious accident at the Wollaston depot Wednesday. When looking back he slipped Mr. Rogers' legs and was thrown violently against the brake handle, the force being sufficient to render him unconscious. He was taken into the depot and restoratives applied. Fortunately he was not seriously injured.

Mr. F. A. Rogers of Wollaston had a narrow escape from being killed on Saturday. His depot carriage which was standing opposite the depot, had a new horse hitched to it. Two trains passing each other at the station caused the horse to jump and run. Mr. Rogers grabbed him by the bridle, but the horse, which was a powerful animal threw him directly between his hind legs. The animal became frantic and began to kick but Mr. Rogers with great presence of mind locked his arms around the high leg and held on for dear life. Assistance soon came and extracted him from his perilous position.

The Rev. Andrew A. Horton of the Rev. Van Ness of Boston before a goodly sized audience in the chapel of the Wollaston Unitarian church, on Monday evening, upon "The relation of parents to the Sunday School." The subject was very ably treated by the speaker, who spoke from an ethical and a practical point of view. Delegations were present from Quincy and Neponset. Miss Arnold was unable to be present and speak. A light lunch was served after the speaking. Coffee and cake were served by Miss Taylor and chocolate by Miss Foster.

Mrs. Charles H. Sherman, who was quite severely injured some three weeks ago by slipping upon an icy sidewalk and falling, striking her head, is slowly convalescing. The storm which has been hovering over the coast for the past week developed into a hurricane on Tuesday accompanied by driving sleet and snow. On Wednesday the storm increased in violence so that by afternoon the wind had attained a maximum velocity of 55 miles an hour on Blue Hill and 36 miles at Wollaston.

Mrs. Frederick Berry Smith will sing and Miss Thomas the violinist is expected to play at the supper service at 7 o'clock, Sunday at Wollaston Unitarian church.

The engagement is announced of Miss Sarah L. Diano of Wollaston, and Mr. John W. McMillan of Boston.

The Women's Club Temperance Union will meet Friday, March 15, at three p. m. in the Baptist church.

District Deputy Grand Regent Roberts will pay a fraternal visit to John Adams Council R. A. of Wollaston, Monday evening, March 16, at which time two candidates will be initiated.

Hodonesse Tribe, Red Men, Wollaston raised two hunters to the rank and title of warriors, at its last regular meeting.

The regular meeting of Wollaston lodge, I. O. O. F., will be held on Tuesday evening of each week in I. O. O. F. hall. Two candidates were initiated last Tuesday and twelve more proposed for membership. The lodge will hold an entertainment and social on March 21.

L. W. Nash, real estate agent, has sold for E. S. Thomas, house and stable on Central avenue, to George F. Cate, who will occupy in May. Mr. Thomas will build an addition on adjoining land for his own occupancy.

The Atlantic team (D) of the Wollaston Bowling Club defeated Team A, at the Duck's Nest alleys on Tuesday evening, 233 to 2105. Franks was high on totals, 429; and Coo was high on singles, 208.

Team A of the Wollaston Candle pin club defeated Team C on the Duck's Nest alleys on Wednesday evening 1130 to 1103.

Norfolk Downs should not always be overlooked by the city government. We also would like 50 ride tickets to Boston and should have been included in the order supplied by the City Council. Business at the Norfolk Downs is so good that the track is crowded and there are passengers for every train that stops.

It is seldom that so large and successful a dancing party has been held at Wollaston as the one which was given by the Squam Yacht club in the K. of H. hall last Thursday evening. This was due to the good management of the committee who had it in charge—Mr. Benjamin Sargent, Vice Commodore Hamilton Field, Dr. F. F. Locke and Mr. Alfred T. Barstow. Over forty couples danced, filling the hall to its utmost capacity. The old and the young took part and a reef and went for a jolly good time. The costumes of the ladies were elegant, the whole scene making a very pretty picture. The music was by Astrella's orchestra of Boston. Lunch was served.

We are pleased to report that the sick in the family of W. D. Given are convalescing. Mr. Fred Loun has moved into the McKay home on Beach street.

The whist party at Alvar Polk's Monday evening was well attended notwithstanding the severe storm.

Mrs. L. B. Milberry and Mr. Lou obtained the King prizes.

Mrs. Annie E. Smiley of Ipswich, superintendent of Junior league, will lecture Wednesday evening, March 11, at Union chapel, Wollaston. Subject,—"The New Woman of the Twentieth Century." This will undoubtedly be interesting and should be largely attended.

Mr. Siles has moved his family from Natick, Mass., to Norfolk Downs, where he is employed in the store of W. B. Grant. Mr. Herbert A. Snow, son of ex-Councilman Snow, is slowly recovering from pneumonia.

The first social held in the new Union club building was a success. The supper was pronounced excellent and netted the society about \$18.

A special meeting of the club will be held next Tuesday evening to consider the matter of appropriating \$500 to rebuild the pier which was damaged by the storm, and to make extensive repairs on the club house.

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## ATLANTIC.

Phineas Coombs has returned from Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. W. H. Yeoman has gone to Biddeford, Maine, to the bedside of her only brother who is dying of appendicitis.

Miss Susie Hall, of Walker street, has been quite ill with la grippe during the past week but has almost recovered.

Rev. Edward Norton, pastor of the Memorial Congregational church, Atlantic, addressed the Quincy Union, P. S. C. E., at their bi-monthly meeting at the Presbyterian church, South Quincy, on Monday evening.

Rev. J. W. Kingsbury, the well known temperance speaker, lectured at the Memorial Congregational church, Atlantic, on Sunday evening. Owing to the disagreeable weather the attendance was scant, but those who attended were very much interested in the lecture.

One of the prettiest whist parties of the season was that given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Hall of Walker street on Friday evening. Guests were present from Boston, Ashmont, Dorchester and Atlantic. The ladies' prizes fell to Miss Hight and Miss Havermann, while Mr. Morgan and Mr. Hight carried away the gentlemen's honors. Light refreshments were served throughout the evening and at the close of the game the guests sat down to a dainty lunch.

Arrangements are being made for a large party to be held in Music Hall, Atlantic, the latter part of March, which will undoubtedly be the leading society event of the season.

Rev. C. P. Mills of St. Christopher's church is holding Cottage meetings in Atlantic Friday evenings during Lent. Thus far meetings have been held with Mrs. Clean and Miss Kate Nelson. At the last one there were 25 present and a deep interest was manifested. The speaker, by the rector, was one of intense spiritual life, a fitting supplement to the beautiful ritual.

Mrs. Moody, Billings street, entertains the meetings next Friday evening and a series of most enjoyable social gatherings. There were present Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dell, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Willey, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gillis. A royal repast was served by the hostess Mrs. Willey.

Visitation to Maple Lodge.

A union meeting to exemplify the work of the Knights and Ladies of Honor was held Wednesday evening with Maple lodge, and notwithstanding the very inclement weather there was a very large attendance. Among the visitors were Grand Protector, L. C. Tibbets of South Boston; Grand Vice Protector, Mrs. G. W. Worcester; Grand Guardian Will of Medford; a delegation of four from Evening Star lodge of Somerville who came in a special electric, and delegations from Pearl lodge of Worcester; New England of Boston; Friendship of South Boston; Priant of Beachmont and Equity of Charlestown.

The lowest team of Maple lodge under Capt. Horace O. Souther, worked the degree on two candidates in a manner that called forth many compliments from the grand officers on the excellency of the work. Two applications for membership were received.

At the conclusion of the business of the evening there was speeches by the grand officers and visitors interspersed with solos by Mrs.







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**The Quincy Patriot.**  
SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 1896.

**Which are You?**

ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.

There are two kinds of people on earth today. Just two kinds of people, no more, I say. Not a sinner and saint, for 'tis well understood that the good are half bad, and the bad are half good. Not the rich and the poor, for to count a man's wealth. You must first know the state of his conscience and health. Not the humble and proud, for in life's little span, Who puts on vain airs is not counted a man. Not the happy and sad, for the swift flying years Bring each man his laughter and each man his tears. No, the two kinds of people on earth I mean. Are the people who lift and the people who lean.

Wherever you go, you will find the world's masses. Are always divided in just these two classes. And oddly enough, you will find, too, I mean, There is only one life to twenty who lean.

In which class are you? Are you eating the loaf? Of overtaxed lifters who toll down the road? Or are you a leaner, who lets others bear Your portion of labor and worry and care? —Harper's Weekly.

**Notes and Comments.**

—Stephen Salisbury is a citizen to rejoice in. Massachusetts claims him, not shall Worcester alone be proud of the public spirit and generosity of the man who gives \$750,000 for a museum and library in his city. Worcester is fortunate, indeed, in having such a citizen. Mr. Salisbury is always in the forefront of all public-spirited work in Worcester.

—James R. Kendrick, third vice president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, states that the road will certainly equip the Dedham Branch with electricity some time in the coming summer. No definite plan have as yet been made, and it is not even known what style of apparatus will be made use of for applying the motive power. The general idea, however, is to run more trains, and to have them lighter, and from this it may be inferred that the equipment will be either the trolley or some improvement of the trolley, as there is at present no engine which will give the lightness and cheapness desired. —Boston Gazette.

—The leap year business has begun in earnest—Nebraska man is suing a woman for breach of promise.

—The Chicago Times-Herald says, "Boston is not only one of the best governed cities in the world, and in municipal wisdom it is certainly far ahead of any of its sister cities in the republic."

—At a mass meeting at Cooper Union, New York, under the auspices of the Central Labor Union, last week, resolutions were adopted protesting against the passage of Senator Lodge's bill appropriating \$100,000,000 for coast defenses.

—Do not imagine that every man you meet with a long face is keeping Lent. Some of them have notes to mail, new twins at home, or other reasons for looking solemn.

—By a decision of the full bench of the supreme court on Saturday last, in the case of Wesley D. Kidder vs. the Pittsburgh railroad, the defendants are compelled to carry the express matter which the plaintiff is engaged in transporting for customers on terms and under facilities equal to those given other express concerns doing business on this road. The decision takes the form of a mandatory order, from which there is no appeal by the road.

—There are 600 scholars in the Chinese Sun by school connected with one of Boston's churches. In the opinion of a good many people they attended Sunday school rather to learn English than religion.

—At a recent session of the probate court, held by Judge White at Dedham, the first account held by Samuel Carr, of Quincy, special administrator of Sally R. Sumner, late of Hyde Park, was allowed for the sum of \$17,355.00.

—The Boston school authorities are now discussing the furnishing of cheap lunches to the pupils of the public schools. The experiment has been tried in some of the schools of Boston but it has been found that there is a tendency to "bolt" the food. One visitor found a boy who devoured three sandwiches, a piece of cake and a cup of chocolate in four minutes by the watch. —Mass. Ploughman.

—The newspapers have made many comments upon the sentence of Miss Fagler of Washington, who shot and killed a colored boy stealing pears in her father's grounds about a year ago. She was found guilty of manslaughter, and sentenced to three years' imprisonment, with a fine of \$500. Who wouldn't be a lady of position and influence.

—A Denver judge—may heaven's choicest spirit dwell in the brow of the good man!—has ruled obliging women in the theatres there, to remove their hats and bonnets while a performance is in progress. —Milford Journal.

—Among the bequests made by H. A. Massey, a Canadian, whose will was probated at Toronto, Ont., last week, is \$50,000 to the American University, Washington, D. C., to be used in the establishment of a Canadian Methodism in that university; and \$10,000 to D. L. Moody's school at Northfield, Mass. The will contains twenty-nine bequests to charitable and religious institutions throughout the United States, with the sums given shortly before his death amounting to \$100,000.

—The Somerville Journal thinks that the people are willing to let the Brooklyn inventor who claims that his bicycle boat can cross the ocean in seventy hours try it himself, if he sees fit.

We trust our senator and representatives will see their way clear to vote for the proposed law of libel, intended to protect reputable newspapers from attempted blackmail by sly lawyers and artful clients. —Somerville Citizen.

—That Washington judge who made such a farce of justice by sentencing Miss Fagler to spend three hours in the reception room of the jail for the crime of manslaughter, ought to get six months himself somewhere pounding sand. —Fall River Globe.

**New Method of Taxation**

Mayor Quincy gave a dinner on Saturday at the Parker House which was attended by nearly all the Mayors in Massachusetts, together with the representatives of boards of trade in almost every city. From a political standpoint the gathering was a success, and the Democratic and Republican mingling as if there were no political parties.

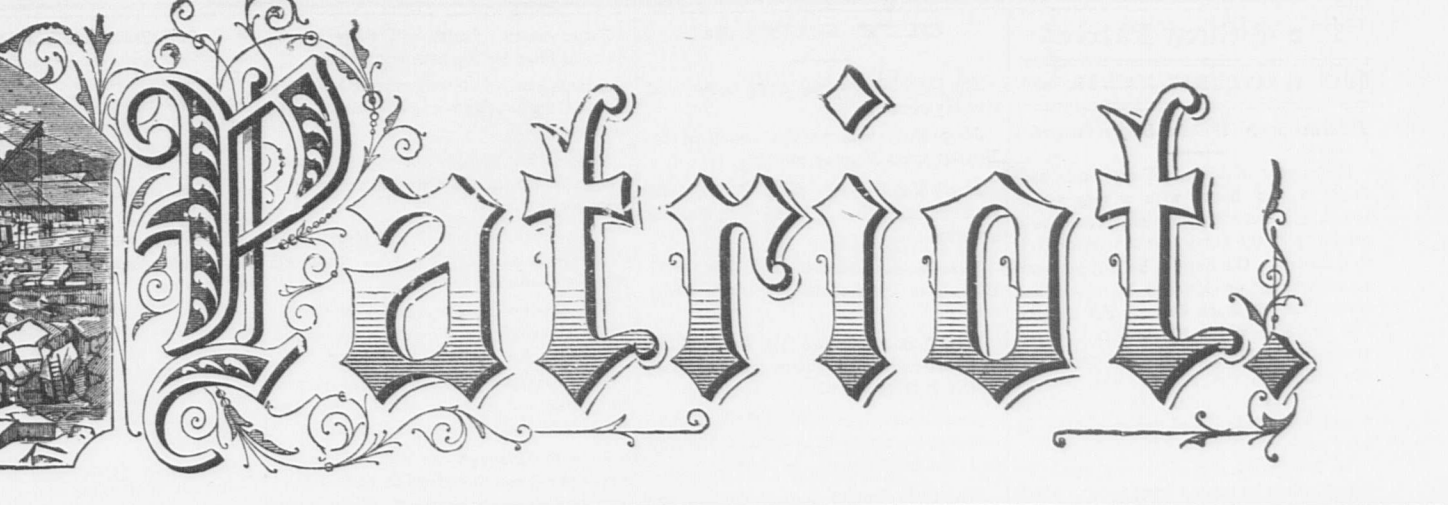
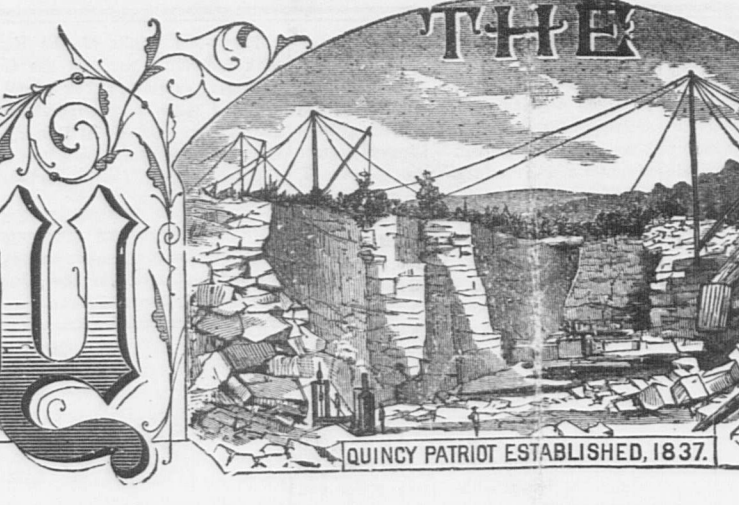
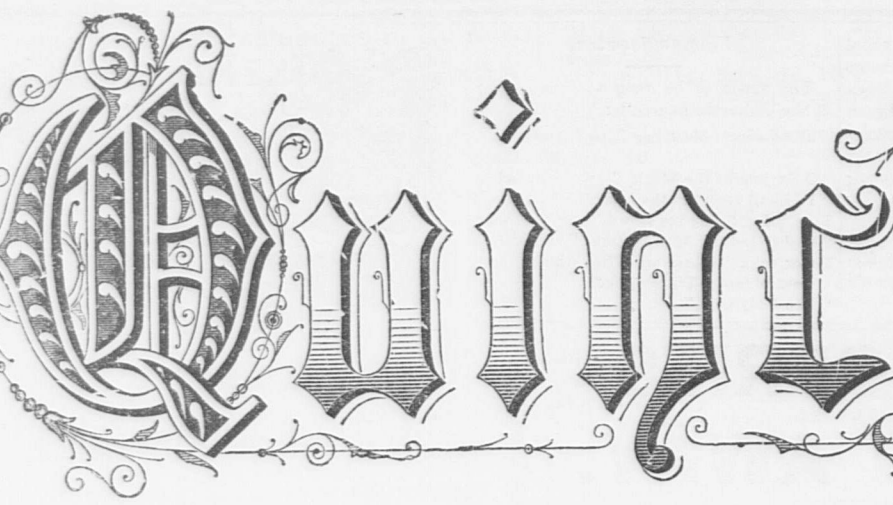
About twenty mayors and twenty-five others were present. The following cities were represented:

Brookline, the Hon. Charles Williamson, Mayor; the Hon. John C. Bancroft, Chelsea, the Hon. John C. Lunt, Fall River, the Hon. W. S. Green, Fitchburg, the Hon. Henry F. Rockwell, Gloucester, the Hon. David I. Robinson, Haverhill, the Hon. Charles H. O'Neil, Northampton, Cambridge, Lowell, Lynn, Waltham, Boston, and Fitchburg. These cities present to the real problem, which is so to adjust the tax as fairly to meet the needs of the city, because the cities which I mentioned in the first and second classes are a small item, and those in the fifth and sixth classes are a very much smaller item.

Now, we have made figures in regard to Boston, which will substantially apply to all those cities. We have figured it out, and find that the change will result in an increase of 17-1/2 per cent. in the real estate tax in Boston, or an increase of 2-1/2 per cent. on the rate in Boston, \$15, with the result that the citizens of Boston will be absolutely freed of the burdens of taxation and all other forms, except when a person dies and his estate goes through Probate Court, at which time his property pays a succession tax.

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May 4. tf

**Poetry.**  
**Spring Song.**  
DUNCAN CAMPBELL SCOTT.  
Sing me a song of early spring,  
Of the yellow light where the clear air  
cools.  
Of the lily willows burgeoning  
In the amber pools.  
Sing me a song of the spangled dells,  
Where the hepaticas tremble in starry groups  
Of the violets twining their golden bells  
As the light wind swoops.

Sing me a song of the gleaming swift,  
Of the vivid Maryland-yellow throat,  
Of the vesper sparrow's silver drift  
From the rise remote.  
Sing me a song of the glow afar,  
Of the misty air and the crocus light,  
Of the new moon following a silver star  
Through the early night.

**Miscellany.**  
**HER FATE.**  
It was a dreary, chill March day,  
And Blanche and I looked ourselves to the  
contrary to find a little summerlike  
warmth in the air. The wind, too, was old  
times. The fountain, which tossed its  
wreaths of silvery spray into the bright,  
surprised faces of the velvet, pink azaleas,  
just opened, and the purple clusters of  
just opening violets, made a splash  
beyond the desolate wind, and there  
was a sweet, subtle, spring odor in the  
air; so we were as cozy as last of the  
winter as the fairs in England.

Blanche and I had much to say to each  
other, for we had been separated for the  
past three years, and never, until then,  
for more than a week or two at a time, in  
all our lives. She was my cousin, but  
seemed like my sister. I found her in a  
more romantic, fanciful girl than I had left,  
more a child than a woman, in spite of her  
twenty-five years. She delighted in fairy  
tales, and was forever conjuring up re-  
manes from the commonest everyday life.  
She was as full of quaint superstitions  
as any old lady in the land, and she was  
in dreams and fancies, and was always  
prophesying in her quaint, half-grown, half-  
merry way that something good or some-  
thing evil was going to happen. That day,  
as she made herself a little bower of the  
long spray of a tangled vine, she said sud-  
denly and seated herself therein, she said:  
"Sarah, I really believe that something  
strange—whether of good or evil, I cannot  
tell—is going to happen to me."

I laughed, but had scarcely heeded what  
she was saying, I was thinking how lovely  
she was with all that bright bloom about  
her and the shining green sprays falling  
over her golden brown hair.

"You are very sympathetic, Sarah,"  
you said, sitting contentedly.  
"Pardon me, my dear, but I was think-  
ing of something else, Blanche; how  
strange it is that you've never fallen in  
love. Aren't you ever going to marry?"

"Why, Sarah, you stupid child," I said,  
"you know I have fallen in love, and  
soon ago I'm waiting for him to come.  
I think he will come soon."

I looked up in surprise.  
"I certainly did not know it, Blanche;  
do tell me who it is," I said.

"I'm replying, she danced away like  
a fairy, and returned bringing a descrip-  
tion of a velvet frame, which she tossed  
into my lap.

"There he is, Sarah. I never, never  
will marry anyone but him; you remember  
the first, and I say so still," she said  
emphatically.

"O, Blanche," I exclaimed half-angrily,  
"how can you be so absurd? I can't  
think you have been clinging to that silly  
superstition all these years!"

"Oh, what you piece!" said she  
coolly, "but we shall see. I was beginning  
to laugh at it myself once, and I had  
almost made up my mind to marry Mr.  
Halbert, not because I loved him, but be-  
cause it is so dreary to be always alone,  
and he's nice, than anyone I know; so  
noble and good kind; but, Sarah,  
when I looked at the picture again it had  
such a changed expression! The eyes  
gazed into mine with such a strange, sad,  
reproachful look, that it startled me, and  
then I knew never before that he was my  
fate. Isn't he splendid?"

"It is a handsome face, certainly," I  
answered musingly, for it brought me back  
so vividly to my school days.

"Let me see it," I said, and she handed  
it to me. I looked at the picture, and  
saw a face that I had never seen before.  
It was the face of a nervous, refined  
person that touched that bell; it may be  
Mr. Halbert—he always makes his ap-  
pearance in stormy weather, though it  
didn't sound like a storm when I saw it.

"A servant opened the door.  
"There are two of them," whispered  
Blanche, peeping through the glass door;  
"one is Mr. Halbert, but the other—O,  
Sarah, I'm almost afraid to go out!"

"I'm almost afraid to go out!" said  
Blanche, and she was just arranging  
a cluster of violets for a "bonnie  
breakfast," when the doorbell sent a low,  
vibrant tone through the house.

Blanche flushed and paled in a breath.  
"Visitors, certainly," said she.  
"How do you know that?" I said,  
laughing at her eagerness. "I should  
think it very unlikely; it is early, and such  
an unpleasant day; it is probably a beggar,  
or a peller, or the postman—he comes  
about this time."

"No," answered she, shrugging her  
pretty shoulders; "don't you know, child,  
that such people never ring like that?"  
They couldn't if they should try. It was  
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## The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, MAR. 14, 1896.

New Every Morning.

Every day is fresh beginning;  
Every morn is the world made new.  
You who are weary of sorrow and sinning.  
Here is a beautiful hope for you.  
A hope for me and a hope for you.

All the past things are past and over.  
The tasks are done, and the tears are shed.  
Yesterday's errors let yesterday cover;  
Yesterday's wounds, which smarted and  
bled.

Are healed with the healing which might  
has shed.  
Yesterday now is a fact of forever.  
Bound up in a sheaf, which God holds  
tight.

With glad days, and sad days, and b days  
which never  
Shall wither with their bloom and  
their bright.  
Their fullness of sunshine or sorrowful  
night.

Let them go, since we cannot recall them.  
Cannot undo, and cannot atone.  
Go in his mercy receive, forgive them!  
Only the new days are ours own.  
To-day is ours, and to-day alone.

Here are the skies all turned brightly;  
Here is the spirit earth all spring;  
Here are the tired limbs springing lightly  
To face the sun, and to share with the  
moon.

In the chime of dew and the cool of dawn.  
Every day is a fresh beginning.  
Listen, my soul, to the glad refrain,  
And speak of old sorrow and old sinning.  
And puzzle forecast, and all possible pain;  
Take heart with the day and begin again!

—Susan Coolidge.

## Notes and Comments.

The Waltham Free Press, says: "It  
is one of the kind things which are not  
said of the late Gov. Greenhalge could  
have been said while he was living it  
would have been pleasant for him."  
How often this is the case.

—There are 799 newspapers in this  
country over 50 years old; the QUINCY  
PATRIOT is one of this number; being 60  
years old next January.

—In an establishment on the ice in the  
St. John river, about midway between New  
Brunswick and Maine, is a ranch where  
rum is sold day and night. That's keeping  
liquor on ice to a certainty.

—There is no doubt that the life of Gov.  
Greenhalge was shortened by the strain  
of the extra-official duties which  
custom places upon the chief magistrate.

—Electric tanning is now the latest  
thing. Naughty boys think it is much  
better than strap tanning.

—It is gratifying to learn that the last  
unit of the torpedo boat Ericsson was  
without injury to any one on board. If the  
new torpedo boat proves to be as destruc-  
tive to the enemy as she has been to her  
crew, she will be indeed a terror of the  
sea.

—The rumor that some of the Boston  
dailies are to enlarge their sheets, to enable  
them to compete with the New York  
Times, is a rumor. The Boston Herald  
and the Boston Globe, however, are  
not likely to be enlarged. The Boston  
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—In one or two shoe shops in Brockton  
there is a workman who does not wear  
a pair of shoes. He is ready to lend a  
pair of shoes, or any sum up to ten dollars  
at the rate of 5 cents on the dollar a  
month. It is rather a reflection on the  
prudence of the others that he does a good  
business, for they get paid off once a week,  
and there is no reason why they should  
get "strapped."

—It seems certain that New York legis-  
lature will pass the bill for the consolida-  
tion of New York and Brooklyn, which  
will give the enlarged metropolis an area  
of 350 square miles and a population of  
3,000,000. New York has a tax rate of  
\$1.91, while that of Brooklyn is \$2.74.

—Professor Dabarene, of Tufts college, is  
a great deal better known abroad than he  
is at home. He has just been called to  
England to give expert testimony in a law  
case.—Somerset Journal.

—It is a curious fact that a large pro-  
portion of the members of the senate  
live in country towns or small cities.  
The only cities of 10,000 people, which  
have senators, are Boston, New York,  
St. Paul, Indianapolis, Albany, Providence,  
Kansas City, Milwaukee, Newark,  
Detroit, Omaha and Denver; and not one  
of all the senators resides in any of the  
thirteen largest cities. This is not more  
an accident of the present time. The  
rural districts have always been prolific  
in political leaders, and will probably  
continue to furnish a considerable majority  
of our representatives.—Beechey Times.

—Petitions are before the Legislature  
asking that the salary of District Attorney  
Harris be increased from \$2,100 to \$3,000.

—The Democratic state convention will  
be held in Music Hall, Boston, Tuesday,  
April 21.

—Cuban planters are in a most un-  
fortunate situation. If they do not grid  
their sugar cane crop, they will lose it.  
The sugar cane crop is a most important  
one for the Cuban planters. If they do  
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—It looks as if the few remaining red-  
skins in Rhode Island were pretty near  
exterminated. The surviving members of  
the Narragansett tribe have voted to bring  
suit against the state for the sum of \$4-  
000,000 as redress for damages incurred  
by taking their lands. Legal authorities  
are sure that they have a strong case.

—The Lieutenant-Governor has cancelled  
all engagements of a public nature till  
Patron's Day, when the public memorial  
service of the late Governor will be held.  
He has also announced his intention of  
accepting invitations far more sparingly  
than has been the custom. He believes  
that the public will readily acquiesce in  
this decision, which is made necessary by  
the great demands on the time and  
strength of the chief executive.

## THE CITY COUNCIL.

Realty's first debate of the City Council

of 1896, was the meeting of Monday  
evening, when the report of the Commit-  
tee on Public Buildings on the order for  
new schoolhouses came in. As introduced  
the order calls for an appropriation of  
\$75,000 for two brick schoolhouses ac-  
cording to plans of ex-Councilman S. O.  
Moxon. The Committee reported an  
amendment substituting plans of Dacon  
& Wright, and an interesting debate fol-  
lowed, which is reported at length below.

The only absent members were Council-  
men Anderson and Rinn.

A communication was received from the  
Mayor stating that the appropriation of  
\$75,000 for "Miscellaneous Fire" and  
"Salary of City Officers" were exhausted.  
To Committee on Finance.

A communication was received from the  
Mayor forwarding a petition from West  
Quincy for a day patrolman. The Mayor  
in his communication said there were no  
funds. The petition was referred to the  
executive department.

The Mayor forwarded a communication  
in which he stated that a delay had been  
necessary in his petitioning the Massa-  
chusetts Highway Commission to let  
Washington street, as the commission  
required a plan to accompany the petition.  
This plan had just been completed and he  
enclosed a petition for the Council to  
consider.

The Mayor also sent a communication  
in relation to the death of Governor  
Greenhalge, enclosing resolutions which  
were adopted by the Council by a rising  
vote.

WHEREAS, in the death of Frederic T.  
Greenhalge this Commonwealth has lost  
an able, courageous and honorable chief  
magistrate, a man whose public and private  
life has won universal confidence and  
admiration; be it

Resolved, that this City Council repre-  
sents the universal sentiment of its mem-  
bers in expressing their appreciation of  
the high qualities of mind and heart of  
our late Governor, and that they be  
addressed by the highest motives of patriot-  
ism, and that they be so addressed in  
this country or his state, unwearingly  
the path of right and duty, he was un-  
willing to respect and honor his own  
heart, his sound judgment and conspi-  
cuous ability, his unselfish devotion to  
the interests and needs of his people, and  
his loving husband and father, who served  
as a model and inspiration to all.

Resolved, that the heartfelt sympathy of  
this body be tendered to the bereaved  
family in the great loss they have sus-  
tained.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions  
be spread upon the records and a copy of  
them sent to Mrs. Greenhalge.

A communication was received from the  
School Committee giving notice that they  
had approved the plans of Dacon & Wright  
for certain changes. To Committee on  
Public Buildings.

Chairman Sprague of the Committee on  
Public Buildings asked permission for his  
committee to retire for a few minutes,  
which request was granted.

Petitions.

Councilman Field presented a petition  
from residents of South Quincy asking for  
a right of way over a certain land owned  
by the city known as the water lot, to their  
property. To Committee on Streets.

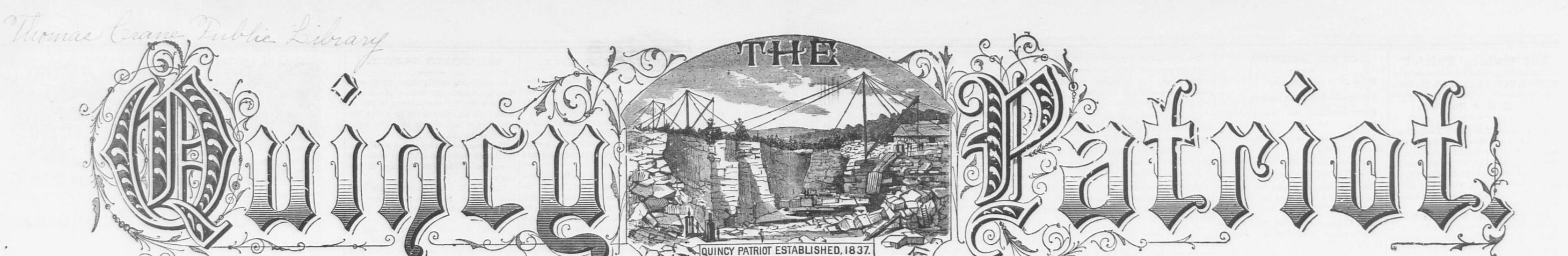
Report of Councilman Rice.

The Councilman Rice reported on the  
petition of William P. Martin that he be  
granted Military aid of \$10 per month.  
Adopted.

The Committee on Public Buildings had  
not returned and they reported an amend-  
ment to the order for the appropriation  
of \$75,000 for two schoolhouses, changing  
the word Moxon to Dacon & Wright.

Councilman Badger of the Committee  
on Public Buildings reported that he had  
decided that the Moxon plans were correct  
and had drawn up specifications. He did  
not consider Dacon & Wright's plans as  
good as the Moxon. The school committee  
were requested to approve the Dacon &  
Wright plans and did so. The School  
board gave their stamp of approval more  
emphatically upon the Moxon than upon  
the Dacon & Wright. We also have some-  
thing tangible in regard to building in the  
city. He said that the Moxon plan could  
be built in five months, while Dacon &  
Wright say they require six months. Why  
go out of the city when we have better  
plans by one of our own citizens. It has  
been often brought before this council that  
the city should build a school house, and  
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SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 1896.

**WEEKLY.** Sun. Full Sea. Moon. ALMANAC. Rises Sets. Morn. Eve. sets. Saturday, Mar. 21, 4:44 5:50 2:45 12:28. Sunday, " 2:42 5:50 2:45 12:28. Monday, " 2:41 5:51 2:45 12:27. Tuesday, " 2:40 5:52 2:45 12:26. Wednesday, " 2:39 5:53 2:45 12:25. Thursday, " 2:38 5:54 2:45 12:24. Friday, " 2:37 5:55 2:45 12:23. First Quarter, March 22, 6:57 A. M.

### Liquor Licenses for State.

The Committee on Liquor Laws of the Legislature has reported Tuesday a bill calling for the payment into the state treasury of all liquor license fees of the commonwealth. Although the bill, as reported, is but a step, they consider it a long step in the right direction, and are hoping that it may become a law.

One clause of the bill provides that the license money shall be paid into the state treasury, and another that the state tax now levied on all cities and towns be abolished.

Mr. Faxon advocated this bill because he believes that if such a law is enacted it will benefit temperance local option in obtaining the votes of those who, although favoring temperance, are frequently led into voting for license by the consideration of the effect the license fees will have on the revenues of the city or town, as the case may be.

He claims that if the state tax is abated and the license fees paid into the treasury matters will be very nearly equalized; for, although he does not hope to get Boston and some of the other large places on the no-license idea, he does think it will effect the situation in some of the smaller places.

He thinks such a law would be a brace to some of the weak spiritual columns of those who believe in no-license, but still continue to vote against it out of consideration for the license fees.

Norfolk county would gain over \$100,000, and Quincy's tax rate would be reduced \$1 per \$100.

### Free College Education.

The weekly meeting of the Quincy High School debating society was held on Wednesday. President Wilkins opened the meeting, and Miss Jones, '97, presented her report as secretary.

Under unfriendly business the entertainment of last week was concluded: Miss Johnson, '97, gave the following recitation: "The Pied Piper of Hamelin," in an extremely pleasing manner.

The election of officers follows: These nominations were made, those marked with an asterisk being elected.

President, "Mr. Wilde, '96. Vice President, "Miss Briggs, '96. Secretary, "Mr. Nichols, '97. Miss Cummings, '96.

Treasurer, "Miss Emery, '96. The debate followed: "Resolve, That the State Ought to Furnish Free College Education to All Who Desire It."

The affirmative was taken by Miss Garity, Miss Garvin, Miss Annie Healy and Miss Catherine E. Healy. The negative by Miss Leake, Miss Meland and Miss Petersen.

### 150th Anniversary.

The Charitable Irish Society banquet in Boston Tuesday was a complete success. The large dining hall of the Parker house, where the meeting took place, was tastefully decorated with the national colors, as well as Ireland's emerald hue, and the dates, 1737-1896, denoted the 150th year which has elapsed since the society was formed.

There were about 100 present, the newly elected president, Hon. John F. Cronan, presiding, and Judge Timothy F. McDonough was toastmaster.

At the head table were Hon. Joseph H. O'Neil, Hon. Edward J. Flynn, Rev. Patrick Broome, Col. W. M. Doherty, Rev. Mortimer E. Tromey, John W. McCarney, Esq.; A. D. Cairns, representing the British, and the Hon. John L. Sullivan, Esq., representing the Irish.

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## For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, March 18, 1896.

Norfolk county promises to cut considerable of a figure in the state house this session. The hearing upon the estimates for the county for 1896 has closed for the forenoon.

Ex-Representative Grover of Canton has been counsel for the County Commissioners and Treasurer Smith, Judge Asa French and other leading Norfolk county men have been at the hearing. The only member of the commissioners present was the one of shortest service who said that he was not familiar with the proceedings of the office. The other two have not been there at all, and the question of course, is why not. Some of the committee seem to think that there have been no irregularities in the irregular manner in which the county has been run, while others say that there has been nothing wrong done, but that there has been a transferring of money from one purpose to another which has been very reprehensible. Money appropriated for roads and bridges, for instance, has been used for the county purpose, but has been used for the court house, which was grossly improper, and ought not to be permitted.

The farmers have carried one point in their contest against the cattle commission, for the committee on agriculture has reported a bill to extend for one year, or to June 1, 1897, the prohibition of the use of tuberculin as a diagnostic agent upon cattle in this state without the consent of the owners. This leaves it possible to use it upon all cattle which are brought from outside the state and upon such as may be tested by consent of the owners and in instance, they may be used for the purpose, but has been used for the court house, which was grossly improper, and ought not to be permitted.

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## Republican Caucuses.

The delegates were nominated from the district caucuses held as follows: State—Jonas Shackley, Nathan Ames and Edward J. Sandberg. Congressional—Charles L. Hammond, Thomas F. Burke and Andrew Erickson.

The Wollaston caucus was a tame affair, just such a one as a person would naturally expect to attend in a strong Democratic ward. There were but 17 voters present, 16 of them being Reed men and the 17th a McKinley man. The McKinley man (Capt. King) had to vote for a solid Red delegation or else not vote at all. He voted.

For the state delegation of four there was a tie between Mr. W. J. Wellington and Mr. Walter S. Pinkham. As one of the three who were elected was absent it was impossible to fill the vacancy, it being provided that in case of a tie the candidates who were elected should break the tie and fill the vacancy. At Mr. Wellington wished to withdraw in favor of the latter will be elected.

Mr. Walter S. Pinkham was chairman of the caucus and Mr. Harry E. Gifford, secretary.

The result:—State Convention—George F. Pinkham, Charles R. Sherman and H. O. Fairbanks. Congressional—Charles M. Bryant, Richard R. Freeman, Hon. H. O. Fairbanks and Walter J. Wellington.

WARD SIX. The Atlantic caucus was presided over by Councilman Badger as chairman, and Henry Von Enden as secretary.

It was voted to make all nominations from the floor, and vote by acclamation. The following gentlemen were selected to represent the ward in the conventions: State convention—H. S. Barker, Stephen O. Moxon, Benj. K. Redman.

Congressional District convention—Roger H. Wilde, Harry W. Reed, William F. Cummings.

A motion was made by Mr. Moxon that it be the unanimous expression of the caucus that the delegates be instructed to cast their votes for T. B. Reed delegates to the national convention at St. Louis. The motion was passed without any opposition whatever. So Atlantic will put itself on record as throwing her strength to aid the Red boom.

A Summing Up. The result of the Republican caucuses Wednesday night showed conclusively that the result of the caucuses was not forgotten the manner in which certain Republicans had bolted the ticket last year, and that they will leave no stone unturned to return the commission.

It is possible, now, that the anti-Merrill delegates in Quincy may have the balance of power in the Tenth district convention, in which case it is said Mr. Hammond may be a candidate. The election of Mr. Hammond in place of ex-Senator Merrill seems not improbable.

The tenth district is entitled to 103 delegates, and with a full convention 52 will be necessary for a choice. It will be made up as follows:

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WEEKLY Rises. Sets. Moon. ALMA. Sun. Mar. 28, 5:32 6:10 10:15 5:01 A.M. Saturday, Mar. 29, 5:30 6:07 11:15 5:11 A.M. Sunday, Mar. 30, 5:28 6:05 12:10 5:11 P.M. Monday, Mar. 31, 5:26 6:03 1:10 5:11 P.M. Tuesday, Apr. 1, 5:25 6:02 2:10 5:11 P.M. Wednesday, Apr. 2, 5:23 6:00 3:10 5:11 P.M. Thursday, Apr. 3, 5:22 6:00 4:10 5:11 P.M. Friday, Apr. 4, 5:22 6:00 5:10 5:11 P.M. Full Moon, March 29, 12:22 A.M.

THE PROPOSED legislation on liquor license fees, making the same payable to the State, and in turn abolishing the State tax on cities and towns, is stirring up the liquor people, who were caught napping, and it is amusing to see them trying to get out of the fix.

They admit that some cities and towns now vote for license because of the revenue derived therefrom. This on the other hand will be a gain for temperance.

They also admit that they may not be able to get out of the fix, but they will try to get out of it as they can. The temperance people hope it will. The police are under State control and should be able to "free" them.

They say that the license of the inmates of our jails, houses of correction and almshouses have become public charges as a result of the excessive use of intoxicating liquors. They say that Boston, which receives the revenue, help support these institutions in Quincy and in Norfolk county. Not necessarily directly, but by abolishing the State tax as proposed.

Fifteen of the 32 cities voted against license, and about nine-tenths of the towns, and in some of the cities in Boston and the revenue of the city, yet much of that liquor goes to Quincy and other non-liquor cities, increasing the cost of our police force, our courts and our poor department.

The representatives of non-liquor cities and towns and the temperance members of the Legislature have in their power this year to strike a blow for temperance and they should wield it.

THE DEMOCRATS of Quincy are again in arms and swearing vengeance upon the heads and shoulders of some of the past leaders. They have in this instance been aroused from their lethargic state by the letter written by Dr. Everett to Postmaster General Wilson relative to the Wollaston postoffice matter. The genial doctor, who has always prided himself upon his regard to the policy and principles of the Democratic party, has in this instance outdone the most zealous politicians in the city. The Democratic book of grievances contains, it is said, many black and white, and if one-tenth of the plain truths which are carried in this letter, it will mean the utter disruption of the party this fall. The feeling against the sage of Elm street is particularly strong, as it is deemed that he and his advisers have gone considerably far in their way to let the candidate for the postmastership of Wollaston.

THE WATER Commissioners have had a long session at work on Third Hill. What is the result? The water is to be let to use if it is suitable on land to erect a standpipe. It is not contemplated to build the standpipe immediately but when it is done the designing of the Park Commissioners. We are assured the structure will not be one of those hideous, grim looking affairs which so plentifully disgrace the landscape, but a structure which will be artistic in design and color as well as useful. It is a pity that the Penn's hill pipe cannot be improved in appearance, even a change in color from its present sombre hue to a gray would harmonize much better with the landscape.

THE INDEPENDENTS have yet to see much independence on the part of Mayor Adams in his appointments, but he has one more opportunity and they are waiting for it. Never until now has the Water Board been composed entirely from one party, and those three all active politicians. But Mr. Cavanaugh has resigned to accept an appointment as superintendent, and now remains to be seen whether the city is to have a non-partisan board under Mayor Porter, Fairbanks and Hodges.

IT IS PROBABLE that our handsome granite monument on Hancock street, in this city will be duplicated in the city of Everett. A committee including the Mayor, an alderman and a G. A. R. man, has been appointed to procure plans and estimates of the probable cost of such a design, which is intended for a memorial to soldiers and sailors of the late war. It will be as practical as it is ornamental.

MANY WILL be surprised to learn that there is before this Legislature a bill providing for sewage disposal for Quincy. It is in the hands of the Committee on Metropolitan Affairs, and it is only through a metropolitan system that Quincy can hope to obtain the crying need. We feel every day the need of a sewer system and the progress of the city is being retarded.

THERE SEEMS to be no doubt but interest is a current expense. Many know it to their sorrow. The debt and interest of the city of Quincy is now responsible for very nearly one half of the annual tax levy.

YES, we can play whist in Quincy. The Quincy club has done well with the Algonquin of Brockton. Would it stand a ghost of a show with the veterans of the Granite City club.

GOD SEND the new Y. M. C. A. building. The last census showed that there were 20,000 union veterans of the civil war now in Massachusetts.

—Rev. F. A. Warfield of the Porter Congregational church, Brockton, resigned his pastorate Sunday.

THE following cases are marked for trial at the civil session of the District court next Tuesday:

489—New England Grocer Publishing Co. vs. Doble et al.  
4475—Hessling vs. Ward et al.  
4483—Emond vs. Carr.  
4484—Parker vs. Rose.

## For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, March 25, 1896. The committee on manufactures has reported leave to withdraw on the petition of the city of Quincy for authority to establish an electric lighting plant without paying any existing plant. Mr. Melavan of Worcester dissenting and there will be a contest over the report.

Mr. Thompson of Quincy secured the passage to be engrossed, under suspension of the rules, of the bill to extend for six months the power for locating the Quincy Quarry Company's tracks.

The problem of the municipal ownership of the gas and electric light works seems destined to experience no progress at the hands of the legislature of 1896. Several petitions for leave to build and operate municipal lighting plants have been reported upon adversely. The keenness of interest which was felt in this matter a few years ago has passed away. It is now a matter of course to the legislature at all times. The operation of the state oversight tends to prevent abuses and the disposition to escape from the rule of the lighting companies is not as ardent as it was. Furthermore, it would not be at all strange if the companies had exerted themselves to put up their fences so that the public might not be able to see them.

At any rate the problem does not seem as near solution as it did two or three years ago.

Last November we gained a woman suffrage has not hurt the standing of the women with the committees on liquor laws and election laws, whatever may be true of the legislature as a whole.

There have been reports to the effect that the legislature may vote to allow women to vote on the issue of liquor licenses and to give them municipal woman suffrage. On each instance there have been dissenters. On the other hand, the women do not seem to have much to say in the matter.

They did not turn out nearly as many for the committee hearings as they did last year and when the question of general suffrage was pending in the house there was no hearing on the issue of women on other days. Perhaps they will turn out when the municipal suffrage bill is reached, but they certainly let one opportunity pass without making the slightest effort to improve it. The dissenters from the municipal suffrage bill are Senators Blodgett and Corbett and Representative Moriarty.

The hearing before the committee on ways and means on the appropriation of \$20,000 for the State House, taken in connection with the reconstruction against a state which have been put into the legislature, have doubtless killed for this year all idea of erecting a new State House.

The gas combinations which are announced make the common people feel as if they had very little to do with the control of that which they must have for the supply of their homes. There is a feeling of controversy and hostile encounter before the legislative committee on manufactures, the Bay State Gas Company and Mr. Henry M. Whitney have arranged such a deal that the latter's Dominion coal mine will supply the former with gas for purposes, while Mr. Thomas W. Lawson who stood ready to give the state \$100,000 for the privilege which Mr. Whitney asked with the expectation of giving nothing for it.

The great advantages which the people were to receive from Mr. Whitney's Dominion coal mine have faded away and the monopoly continues as strong as ever. The bill is still kept by the Brookline company against the Bay State, but competent judges who watch the fight, predict that the only possible outcome will be a combination here also, leaving the people wholly dependent upon the one source of supply, upon such terms as the monopoly may choose to give, modified by the gas commissioners. It is to be remembered that Massachusetts is one commission which has authority to control the monopoly, upon petition by the consumers, and say what the price of the commodity shall be. But there is hope for the people, but not by any grace of the gas companies.

One of the hardest fights of the session has been over a bill in the house to permit Brighton, which is one of the wards of Boston, to vote by itself upon the issue of liquor licenses. The former town stands almost entirely by itself, surrounded by territory which is not part of Boston, and a strong prima facie case was made out in favor of granting it local option. But it was argued that if this were done, many of our cities would be left without the privilege. At any rate, it was evident that there was far more interest in the bill than was warranted by Brighton alone. It was debated vigorously for three several times and once carried the house, but finally it was beaten by a vote of 100 to 90.

Both branches are agreed upon a general investigation of the relation of the state charities to each other and a report has been ordered to be made by the beginning of next year. Great power has been given to the committee and a thorough overhauling will doubtless occur. Owing to this action, there has been an adverse report made upon the proposed children's bureau, which was to be under the control of the state board of lunacy and charity. Much friction has occurred in the board and doubtless much more will be washed before the committee.

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King's Daughters' Convention.

A very full convention of the King's Daughters of Norfolk county was held in Ellsworth hall, East Milton, Saturday, March 21, 1896, from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. The convention opened with devotional exercises, led by Miss Mary E. Lunn, superintendent of the Daughters of the Massachusetts Avenue, Boston. The program included: Address of welcome, Miss Marion L. Pierce, leader of the East Milton circle; response, Mrs. Bridgman, president of the Ellsworth circle; report of the year's work by Mrs. E. T. Hill, state secretary, Massachusetts; song, "The Resurrection Song," Miss Ella Joslyn, East Milton; address by county secretary, Mrs. M. M. Sawelle, R. A. Davis, Brockton; prayer, Rev. J. H. B. Smith, Brockton; report of the year's work by Mrs. E. T. Hill, state secretary, Massachusetts; song, "The Resurrection Song," Miss Ella Joslyn, East Milton; address by county secretary, Mrs. M. M. Sawelle, R. A. Davis, Brockton; prayer, Rev. J. H. B. Smith, Brockton; report of the year's work by Mrs. E. 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